

This is a detailed map of the Chesapeake Bay region. The map shows the Potomac River flowing into the bay from the north. The bay is surrounded by the states of Maryland, Virginia, and Delaware. Numerous place names are labeled, including Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Annapolis, and various smaller towns and islands. The map also shows the Atlantic Ocean to the east and the Chesapeake and Delaware Canals. The map is oriented with North at the top.

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SUMMARY

This study was designed to determine groundwater conditions, to evaluate groundwater problems, and to formulate recommendations with respect to development and management of this resource on the Eastern Shore. It was initiated in response to a Northampton County Board of Supervisors' resolution to implement state supervision of the county's groundwater resource. Existing data from previous investigations were combined with recent data to constitute the basic data input for this study.

The major aquifers on the Eastern Shore are composed of the discontinuous sands of the Yorktown and underlying St. Marys formations of Miocene Age. These aquifers are artesian aquifers confined below a veneer of sediments 40 to 120 feet thick. Most groundwater withdrawals come from the artesian aquifers at depths of between 65 and 300 feet. Yields of at least 100 gpm generally may be expected from properly developed wells, 6 inches or more in diameter. Due to the lenticular, rather than continuous nature of these aquifers, numerous test wells are often needed to determine optimum locations for permanent wells.

The quality of the water of the artesian aquifers is generally good, though generally moderately hard, with localized iron problems evident. Freshwater occurs most often at depths above 300 feet, but locally, freshwater may be found only at depths above 100 feet.

Regional flow in the artesian aquifers is generally from the central ridge toward the Bay and Ocean. Groundwater recharge to these aquifers occurs by vertical leakage from the water table aquifer. The generally low storage coefficient and transmissivities found for these major aquifers indicate that extensive cones of depression will develop when these aquifers are heavily pumped.

The water table aquifer is used to a lesser extent on the Eastern Shore than the underlying artesian aquifers. The water table aquifer is a discontinuous sand found at depths above 100 feet. Most wells in the water table aquifer are small diameter wells and their average yield is 17 gpm. A few high yield, larger diameter wells with yields averaging 100 gpm have been developed in Accomack County. The higher storage coefficients and transmissivities of the water table aquifer indicate that large pumpage within the water table aquifer would lower water levels less than if the pumpage was located in the Yorktown or St. Marys aquifers.

In almost all instances, the water table aquifer provides a poorer quality water than the deeper artesian aquifers. Characteristically, it is low in dissolved solids and high in iron. Locally, high chlorides and nitrates may be found. Chlorides are encountered in tidal zones, whereas the presence of nitrates may be indicative of surface contamination. Again, test wells may be necessary to determine the location of suitable quality water.

Groundwater levels on the Eastern Shore have remained relatively constant since the 1900's, except in specific localities where heavy groundwater withdrawals from the artesian aquifers have caused cones of depression to develop, thus causing artesian groundwater levels to decline significantly in sections of Accomack County. It should be noted that these well fields have affected private wells within their cones of depression. However, no major groundwater level declines have been observed in Northampton County at the present time.

As previously mentioned, highly mineralized water with a high chloride content can generally be expected at depths below 300 feet and locally at shallower depths. The lateral saltwater-freshwater interface borders the marshland which bounds the Peninsula on all sides but the north. No changes

were observed in the position of the saltwater-freshwater interface during the 70 years for which there is chloride data. The present saltwater-freshwater interface is a natural condition which has stabilized. That is to say, there is no evidence of significant saltwater intrusion occurring on the Eastern Shore at the present time. But it is possible that increases in water withdrawals may create saltwater intrusion problems in the future.

The water table aquifer on the Eastern Shore has been exposed to numerous pollutants, such as domestic sewage, feedlots and industrial wastes, and may be expected to become increasingly more contaminated as a result of future development and associated cortege of pollutants. There is no evidence of significant groundwater contamination to the deeper artesian aquifers at the present time, but these aquifers may also be expected to become increasingly polluted as future agriculture, industry and domestic development proceeds, since increased pumpage will accelerate vertical recharge and thus may induce the vertical flow of contaminants where wastes are located within large cones of depression.

Inspection of present water use of the Eastern Shore indicates that water demand projected to the year 2000 can probably be satisfied by further groundwater development. However, if future development on the Shore is substantially greater than predicted by the State of Virginia (1974), future water demand may not be easily satisfied. The three major groundwater problems, water level declines, saltwater intrusion, and groundwater contamination, which affect the availability of groundwater for beneficial uses must be considered in order to arrive at reliable figures for future water supply on the Eastern Shore. A computer model could be designed to evaluate physical and chemical parameters to determine the degree to which these three groundwater problems on the Eastern Shore will limit future groundwater supply. Only after an estimate is made of the effect of these three major problems, a complete assessment of future water supply on the Virginia Eastern Shore will be possible.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

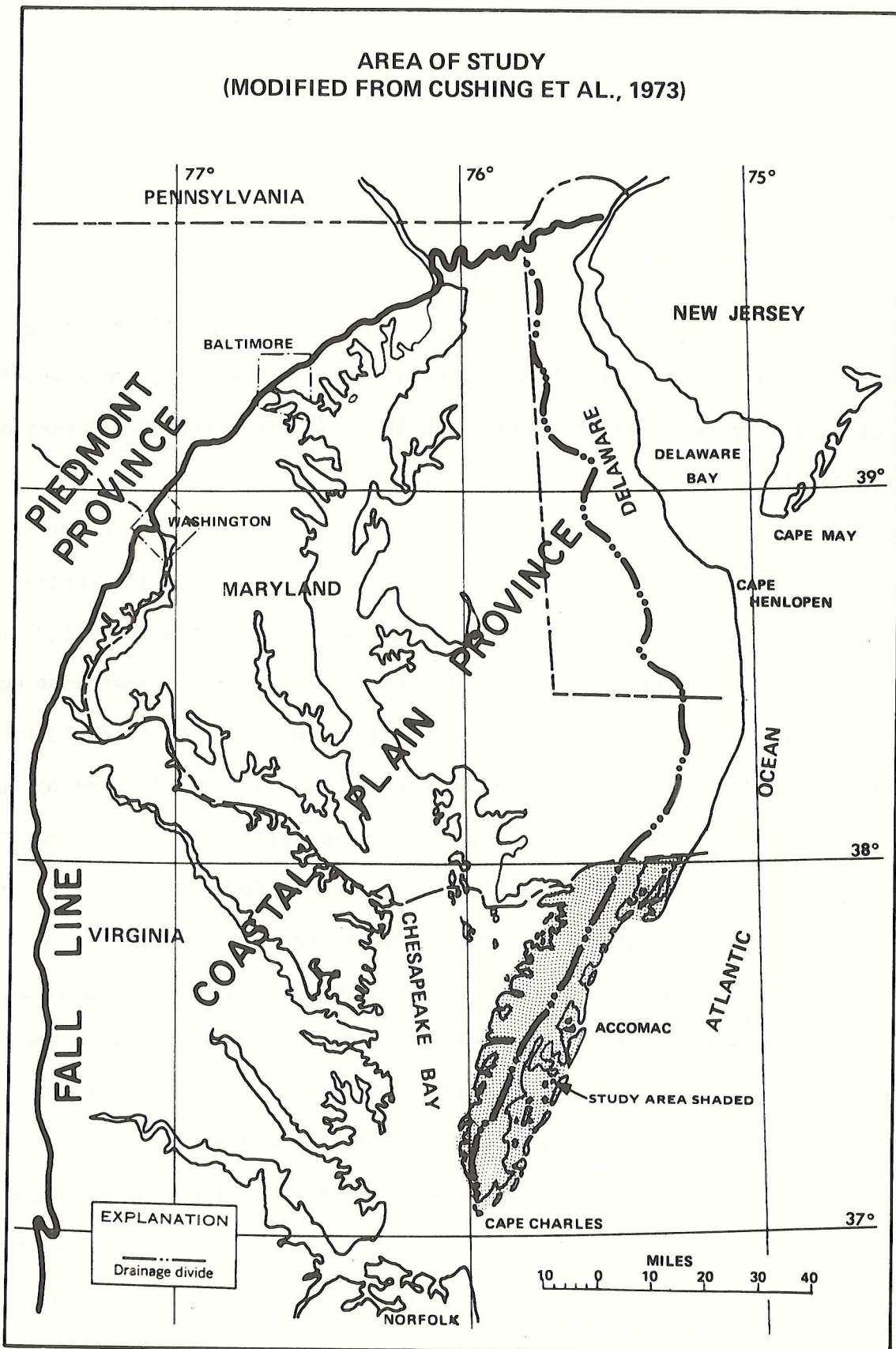
Location and General Features

The Eastern Shore of Virginia, about 696 square miles in area, lies in the Eastern Coastal Plain Province and occupies the southern tip of the Delmarva Peninsula. It is bounded by saltwater on all sides, except the north which is bordered by the Maryland mainland, with the Atlantic Ocean to the east and the Chesapeake Bay to the west and south (Plate 1).

A flat relief characterizes the area, with its central part forming a plateau, about 45 feet above mean sea level in maximum elevation. From the central northeast-southwest trending divide, the contour gradually slopes toward the dissected Atlantic and Bay shorelines. The soil is generally sandy and vegetation mainly consists of wooded areas alternating with cultivated land. Drainage is provided by numerous small streams which widen upon reaching the tidal marshes or open bays. On the Atlantic Coast, a string of long and narrow barrier islands enclose the wetlands. The average temperature ranges from 40 degrees Fahrenheit in January to 78 degrees Fahrenheit in July. Precipitation measured in the last 32 years averaged 43 inches annually, with the bulk occurring in the fall and winter.

Administratively, the area is divided into Accomack and Northampton Counties and into several small towns within each county. The 1970 population was 43,446 with 29,004 in Accomack County and 14,442 in Northampton County. Population projections by the Virginia Division of State Planning and Community Affairs (1975) for the year 2000 were estimated to be 32,800 and 18,870 for Accomack and Northampton Counties, respectively. The low population density

AREA OF STUDY
(MODIFIED FROM CUSHING ET AL., 1973)



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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of 62 inhabitants/square mile indicates the rural nature of the area. The population is unevenly distributed throughout the area, with the major towns being Cape Charles, Exmore, Onancock, Parksley and Chincoteague. The major economic activity is centered around agriculture and agribusiness with considerable activity in tourism and shellfish. Future offshore oil and gas exploration and development may establish a petroleum based economy in the near future.

Purpose and Scope

This study was commissioned to determine groundwater conditions, to evaluate groundwater problems, and to formulate recommendations with respect to development and management of this resource on the Eastern Shore. Since low relief, coupled with scarcity of streams with adequate flow, prohibits the development of large surface water supplies, groundwater is the principal source of water for domestic, industrial, and agricultural uses. Most groundwater has been produced from aquifers above 300 feet below mean sea level (MSL). The increasing chloride content of groundwater below 300 feet limits future development of the deeper aquifers. It is apparent that the economic growth on the Eastern Shore depends on maintaining an adequate water supply from these freshwater aquifers.

Legal Background

This study was initiated in response to the Northampton County Board of Supervisors' resolution to implement state supervision of the county's groundwater resources. With the purpose of state implementation in mind, the Northampton County Board of Supervisors' resolution of November 7, 1974 requested the county to be designated a Critical Groundwater Area in accordance with Title 62.1, Chapter 3.4 (The Groundwater Act of 1973) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended. In accordance with the above law, the Virginia

State Water Control Board commissioned this study to analyze the need for the initiation of a critical groundwater proceeding for the Virginia Eastern Shore in response to Northampton County's request.

Critical Groundwater Area designation proceedings may be initiated whenever the State Water Control Board has reason to believe that:

(1) Groundwater levels (elevations relative to mean sea level of water table or of artesian water head) in the area in question are declining or have declined excessively; or

(2) The wells of two or more groundwater users within the area in question interfere substantially with one another; or

(3) The available groundwater supply in the area in question is being or is about to be overdrawn; or

(4) The groundwater in the area in question has been or reasonably may be expected to become polluted.

Previous Investigations

A number of investigators studied the groundwater conditions on the Eastern Shore. Sanford (1913) discussed the occurrence of groundwater in the area. Although Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) studied the occurrence and use of groundwater in the area, they did not conduct any detailed hydrogeologic investigations. The Virginia Division of Water Resources (1972) evaluated the local groundwater level declines and associated problems related to increased pumpage in central Accomack County. From this study, it was concluded that accelerated or increased groundwater development predictably would cause various economic, contamination and political problems. Cushing et al. (1973) who evaluated the groundwater resources of the entire Delmarva Peninsula, concluded that large quantities of groundwater are available. He recommended that future

large supplies be developed in the Pleistocene water table aquifer because it is the most extensive, most permeable, and most productive aquifer.

Other investigations were related to the groundwater conditions of the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Back (1966) determined saltwater-freshwater boundaries and estimated regional flow patterns for aquifers in the Northern Atlantic Coastal Plain. The stratigraphy of the Coastal Plain of Virginia was studied by Teifke (1973). Brown et al. (1973) discussed the structural geology, stratigraphy, and relative permeability of strata in the North Atlantic Coastal Plain. Onuschak (1973) derived environmental geologic maps showing geomorphic features and indicating the general geologic processes operating in the area. Onuschak concluded that the environmental information can do much to show the nature of the natural resources available and how they can be best utilized to produce the maximum benefit at minimum total cost.

Methods of Investigation

Existing hydrogeologic data from Sanford (1913), Rasmussen and Slaughter (1955), Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968), and Virginia Division of Water Resources (1972) were combined with recent data to constitute the basic data input for this study. The following data components were compiled to achieve the objectives of this study:

- (1) Transmissivities and storage coefficients for the major aquifers of the Eastern Shore were estimated from Maryland transmissivities and storage coefficients and from specific capacity data. Transmissivities for the artesian aquifers were estimated from the available specific capacity data of water well contractors using the graphical method of Walton (1970)(Appendix A). Transmissivities

for the water table aquifer and storage coefficients for both the water table and artesian aquifers were estimated from Maryland values which were estimated from pump test data using the Theis non-equilibrium formula (Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955).

(2) Water levels or piezometric levels for wells within the major aquifers were used to determine regional flow patterns and to indicate changes in water levels with time. Water level data prior to 1968 was obtained from the publications listed above. More recent data from 1968 to present was obtained from the records of water well contractors (Appendix B). The wells were obtained partly on the basis of their proximity to highly pumped areas and partly for obtaining a representative water level network within the major aquifers.

(3) Groundwater quality data from water wells was used to determine the chemical distribution within the major aquifers and to indicate changes in chemical parameters with time. Generally, data prior to 1970 was obtained from Sanford (1913) and Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968). More recent data was obtained from the Virginia State Health Department and the Virginia State Water Control Board. Twenty-two chemical parameters were analyzed and the well screen depths for each well sample were obtained (Appendix C). In addition, 85 samples were collected February, 1975, primarily to determine the chloride distribution with respect to depth and aquifer (Appendix D).

(4) Water well design and aquifer development data obtained from Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) and water well contractors were used to determine the nature and extent of development within the major aquifers. (Appendix A and B)

(5) Costs incurred by a number of water well owners in areas of high water use were obtained from water well contractors and affected well owners (Appendix E).

(6) Groundwater pumpage data was obtained from the State Health Department and the State Water Control Board (Appendix F).

CHAPTER II

THE AQUIFERS

Geologic Setting

The Delmarva Peninsula is a part of the Atlantic Coastal Plain that extends from Long Island, New York, southward to the Gulf of Mexico. Crustal movements along the Atlantic continental margin have produced a seaward slope on the crystalline-rock basement surface (Plate 2). Areas west to northwest of the Fall Line were uplifted during the movements 430 to 280 million years ago and underwent erosion while areas east to southeast of the Fall Line were depressed and became centers of deposition. The sediments eroded from the uplifted areas filled these depositional basins to the southeast including the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

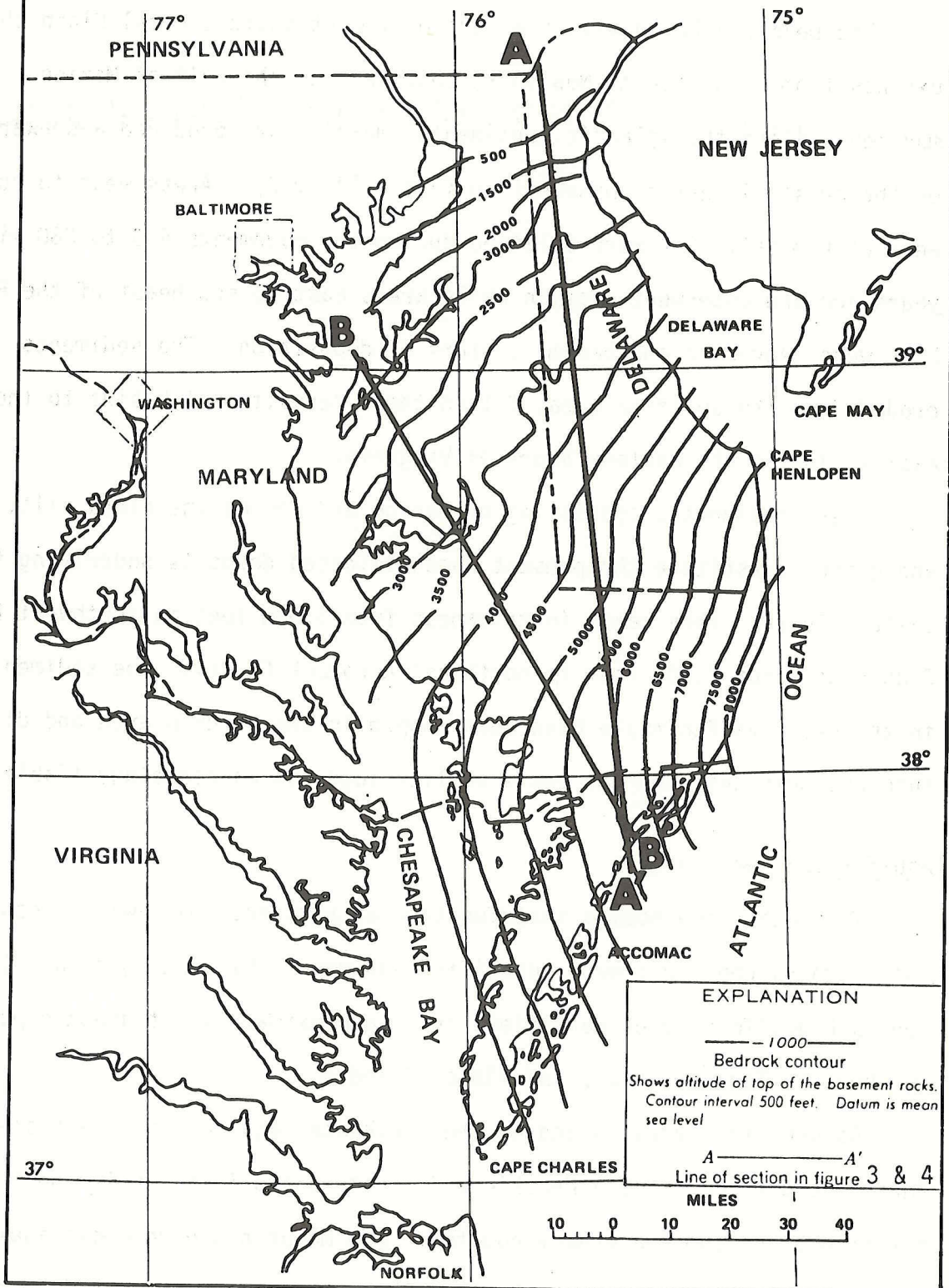
These sediments, consisting of marine and non-marine clay, silt, sand, and gravel, constitute the present unconsolidated deposits underlying the Eastern Shore. They range in thickness from 3,500 feet in southwest Northampton County to about 7,500 feet in northeast Accomack County. The sediments in the Delmarva Peninsula have been mapped in the outcrop area and divided into geologic units on the basis of lithology and paleontology (Table 1).

Aquifer Delineation

The major sand bodies that function as aquifers, over wide areas of the Delmarva Peninsula were identified and mapped by Cushing et al. (1973). Ten such aquifers were identified; their approximate stratigraphic position is shown in Tables 1 and 2 and Plates 3 and 4.

As seen in Plates 3 and 4, the freshwater aquifers on the Eastern Shore include the Miocene Manokin and Pocomoke aquifers within the Yorktown formation, and the Quaternary aquifer. The Manokin and Pocomoke aquifers are not differentiated on the Eastern Shore and will be referred to collectively

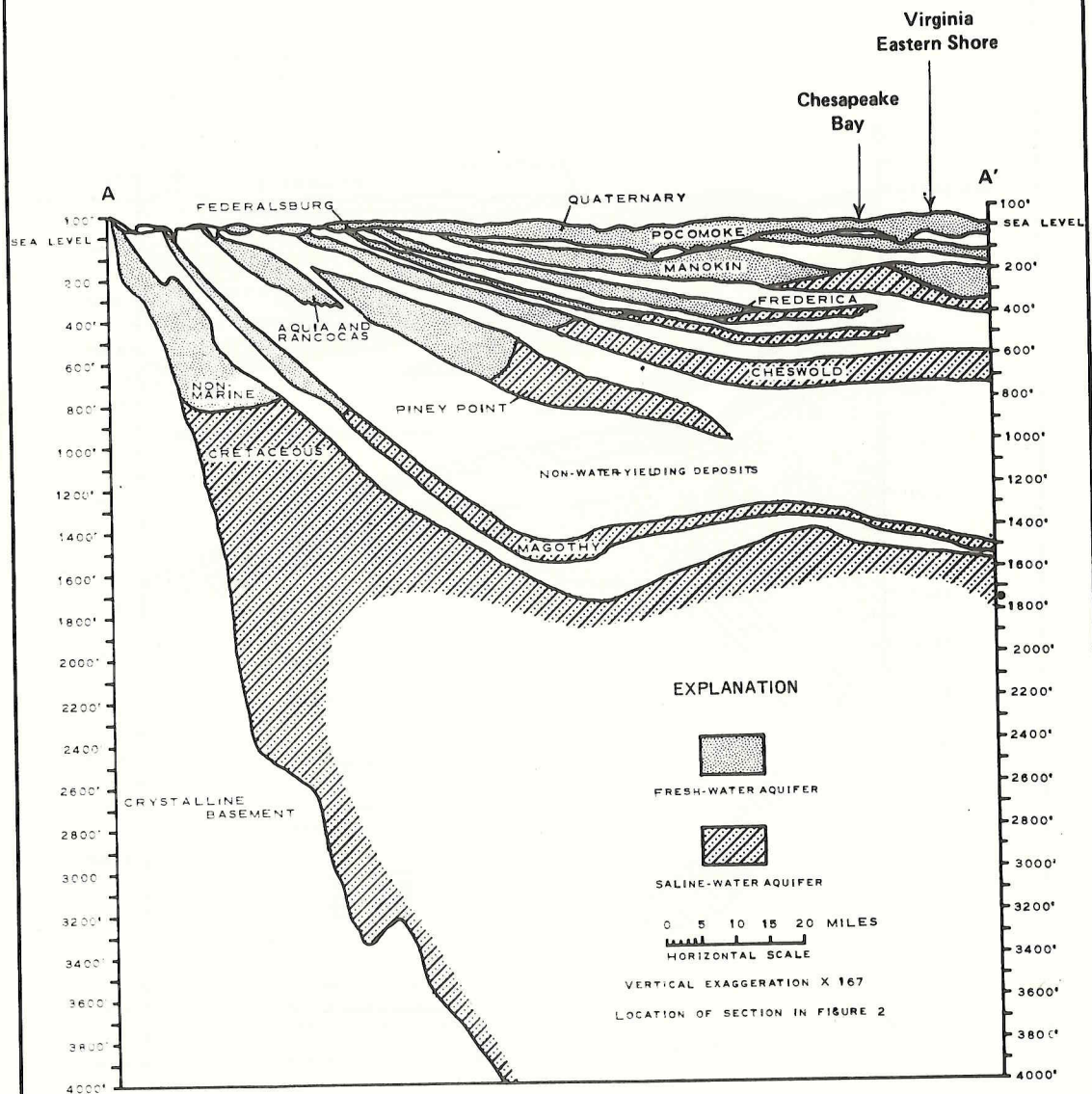
CONFIGURATION OF THE TOP OF THE BASEMENT ROCKS
(MODIFIED FROM CUSHING ET AL., 1973)



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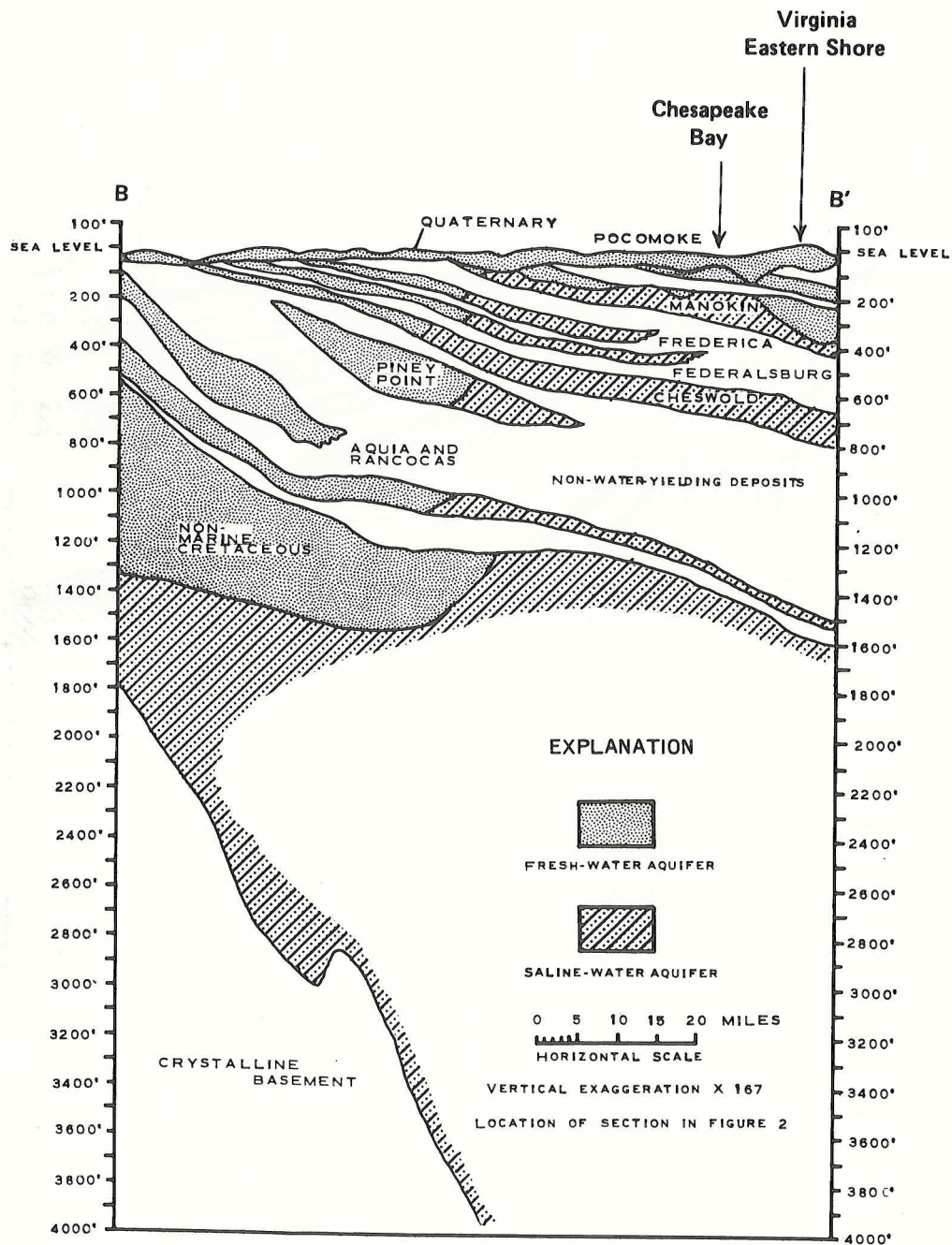
Cross-section A-A'
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Cross-section B-B'
(modified from Cushing et al., 1973)



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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Table 1.--Coastal-Plain stratigraphic nomenclature and aquifers of the Delmarva Peninsula
(from Cushing et al., 1973)

System	Series	Stratigraphic units					Informal units used in this report	Aquifer names used in this report
		Virginia	Maryland	Delaware	New Jersey			
Quaternary	Holocene							
	Pleistocene	Columbia Group undivided	Columbia Group undivided	Columbia Group undivided	Cape May Formation Pensauken Formation Bridgeton Formation		Quaternary sediments	Quaternary aquifer
	Pliocene (?)		Brandywine Formation		Cohansey Sand			
	Miocene	Chesapeake Group Yorktown Formation St. Marys Formation Choptank Formation Calvert Formation	Chesapeake Group Yorktown Formation St. Marys Formation Choptank Formation Calvert Formation	Chesapeake Group undivided	Kirkwood Formation		Miocene sediments	Pocomoke aquifer Manokin aquifer Frederica aquifer Federalburg aquifer Chesold aquifer
Tertiary	Oligocene		Section not present	Section not present	Section not present			
	Eocene	Chickahominy Formation Nanjemoy Formation	Piney Point Formation Nanjemoy Formation	Piney Point Formation Nanjemoy Formation	Piney Point Formation Shark River Formation Manassquan Formation		Eocene and Paleocene sediments	Piney Point aquifer
	Paleocene	Aquia Formation	Aquia Formation Brightseat Formation	Vincetown Formation Rancocas Group Hornertown Sand	Vincetown Formation Hornertown Sand			Aquia and Rancocas aquifer
Cretaceous	Upper Cretaceous	Mattaponi Formation	Monmouth Formation	Monmouth Formation	Mount Laurel Sand	Tinton Sand Red Bank Sand Navesink Formation Mount Laurel Sand Menonah Formation Marshalltown Formation Englishtown Formation Woodbury Clay Merchantville Formation	Marine Cretaceous sediments	
					Marathon Formation	Marathon Formation		
	Lower Cretaceous	Patuxent Formation	Patuxent Formation	Patuxent Formation	Patuxent Formation	Patuxent Formation	Patuxent Formation	Nonmarine Cretaceous sediments

Table 2. Geologic units and water-bearing characteristics
(from Virginia Division of Water Resources, 1972)

SYSTEM	SERIES	FORMATION	APPROXIMATE THICKNESS	DEPTH TO TOP OF FORMATION	LITHOLOGIC CHARACTER	HYDROLOGIC COMMENTS
Quaternary	Recent			(Datum is 20' above M. S. L.)	Loam soil, sand, silt	Water to low yield shallow wells
	Pleistocene	Princess Anne Pamlico Talbot Penholoway	30' - 80'		Unconsolidated, stratified, lenticular sand & silt with gravel and clay	Water table aquifers; small to moderate yield; may contain iron
Tertiary	Miocene	Yorktown	120'	45'	Gray sands, gray or blue clayey silt	Yields small to moderate, with a few high yield wells; contains aquifers and aquitards
		St. Mary's	135'	165'	Clayey silt & silty clay, fine sands, Foraminifera	Small to moderate yield; potable water above -300'
		Choptank	140'+	300'	Gray & brown marine sand and clay	Small yield; water high in dissolved solids; generally an aquiclude
		Calvert	450'	440'	Gray diatomaceous silts & clay; lenses of gray sands shell beds, Foraminifera	Generally an aquiclude, with some small aquifers
	Eocene	Chickahominy	150'	890'	Brown glauconitic clay	Aquiclude
		Piney Point (?)	100'	1040'	White quartz sand grading into brown shale; marine	Moderate yield of slightly saline water
		Nanjemoy	100'	1140'	Chalk, trace of glauconite	Not known to yield water
	Paleocene	Brightseat	300'	1240'	Alternate beds of gray, green & brown clay & gray glauconitic sand; marine	Yields water to a few moderate & large capacity wells in Maryland
Cretaceous	Upper Cretaceous	Monmouth(?)	60' (?)	1540'	Dark green glauconitic sand and gray clay with shells & Foraminifera; marine	Not known to yield water; electric logs suggest it is an aquiclude
		Matawan(?)	40'	1600'	White silty chalk, gray glauconitic clay, basal fine sand & conglomerate	Not known to yield water; probably an aquiclude
		Magothy	90'	1640'	White, yellow & gray sand interbedded with gray & brown shale; lignite; non-marine; unconformable lower boundary	Large to moderate yields to flowing wells in Maryland; electric logs indicate high permeability, but water is highly mineralized
		Raritan	650'	1730'	Intercalated thin sands & shales; lithology indicates deltaic and estuarine deposition	Yields water to a well in Maryland; electric logs indicate water to be brackish or salty
		Patapsco Arundel	2000'	2380'	Thick sands and shales; probably deltaic	Not known to yield good water; electric logs indicate water to be brackish or salty
	Lower Cretaceous	Patuxent	950'	4380'	Thick sands and thin shales; lithology indicates fluvial and alluvial fan	Potential aquifer, but electric logs suggest high-temperature, mineralized water
Triassic	Upper (Newark)		150'	5330'	Upper brown shales, intercalated gray sands & shales; indurated basal conglomerate; lower boundary unconformable	Doubtful aquifer; upper beds are probably aquicludes
Pre-Triassic crystalline Complex				5480'		Probably non-productive

as the Yorktown aquifer in this report. Aquifers below 300 feet are not generally used because of the saline nature of their water (Table 2). In addition, the St. Marys formation, although generally an aquitard in Maryland, is an extensive aquifer on the Eastern Shore (Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955, and Sinnott and Tibbitts, 1968).

The major aquifers on the Eastern Shore of Miocene and Pleistocene age are of marine origin. The interfingering nature of aquifers, generally sands grading laterally into silts and clays, is characteristic of marine deposition. The presence of foraminifera in the Miocene and Pleistocene sediments indicates marine deposition. The Miocene fossil assemblage is a shallow-water one, from the beach outward to probably not greater than a depth of 300 feet (Todd et al., 1954). The Pleistocene fauna is a cold-water one, typical of areas north of Virginia.

A discussion of the distribution and geologic description of the formations in which the major aquifers are found follows:

St. Marys - The aquifers and aquitards of the St. Marys and Yorktown formations are generally extensive as indicated by electric and geologic log correlations of Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) and the Division of Water Resources (1972). The St. Marys formation generally occurs below 150 feet in Accomack County and at greater depth in Northampton County (Table 2 and Plate 5). Typically the lithology of the St. Marys is interbedded, blue sandy clay and silty sand with abundant shell fragments. Although the horizons of the St. Marys and Yorktown Formations are continuous, the particle size and distribution is not, causing hydrologic barriers within the water-bearing strata. The dimensions of the sand grains may change rapidly in size with respect to the lateral direction of the aquifer.

Yorktown - The Yorktown Formation as noted above is similar in nature

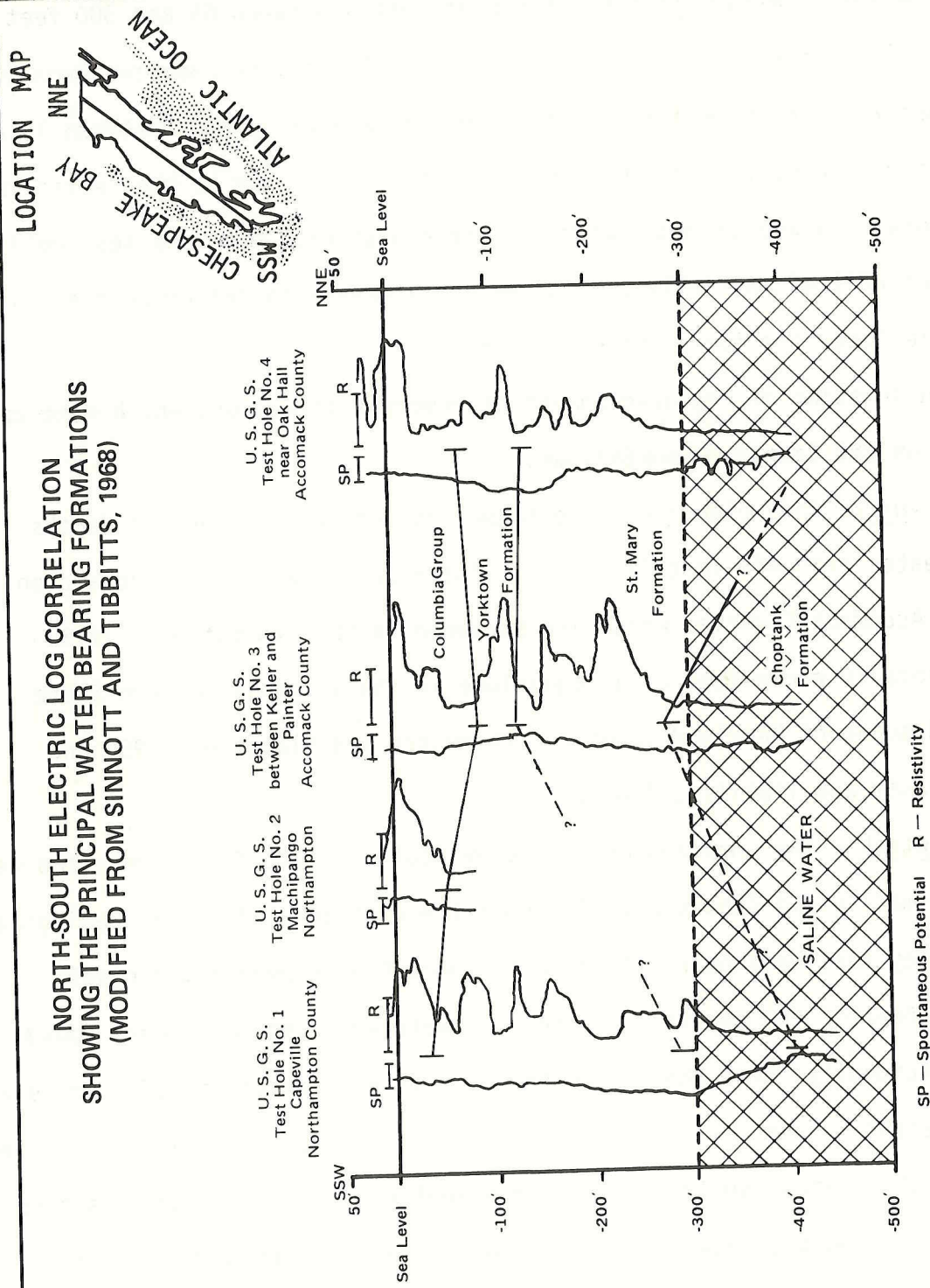
to the underlying St. Marys formation (Table 1). Most frequently the Yorktown occurs below 60 feet to depths ranging from 140 feet in Accomack County to about 280 feet in Northampton County (Plate 5). The lithology of the Yorktown is generally sand, blue, black or brown clay, and shells.

Columbia Group - The Columbia Group of Pleistocene Age occurs as a veneer 25 to 100 feet, upon the underlying miocene deposits (Plate 5). The lithology is chiefly yellow sand, sandy clay and minor lenses of gravel. Because individual Pleistocene beds commonly interfinger and are of limited areal extent, it is usually not possible to trace them laterally for more than a few hundred feet.

Groundwater Development

Pre-Miocene Aquifers - No wells on the mainland of Accomack or Northampton Counties tap Pre-Miocene aquifers. Two test wells drilled in Northampton County to depths of 1,520 and 1,001 feet showed no suitable aquifers. According to Sanford (1913), the Cape Charles test well showed no "water-bearing sand" between 40 and 1,520 feet. A well in Crisfield, Maryland, about 16 miles west of New Church, Virginia, taps Upper Cretaceous sands at depths of 1,125 to 1,142 feet. This well was test pumped at 330 gpm with a specific capacity of 3 gpm/ft. Several wells on Tangier Island in the Chesapeake Bay (Accomack County) also tap the Upper Cretaceous as well as Eocene aquifers at depths of 860 to 1,100 feet (Appendix B, SWCB No. 100-161, 213, and 214). From the limited data available it appears that water from the Pre-Miocene aquifers on the mainland would generally be brackish and of very limited usefulness (see Groundwater Quality).

Miocene Aquifers - Most of the larger groundwater supplies in Accomack and Northampton Counties are obtained from the sand bodies within the Yorktown



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

PLATE NO. 5

and St. Marys formation of Miocene Age at depths between 65 and 300 feet (Plate 5). Yields of at least 100 gpm generally may be expected from properly developed wells 6 inches or more in diameter, whereas yields between 10 and 20 gpm may be expected from smaller diameter wells. Due to the lenticular and laterally discontinuous nature of these aquifers, numerous test wells should be drilled initially for larger developments to determine the most favorable locations for permanent wells.

A discussion of the development of numerous formations which make up the Miocene on the Eastern Shore follows:

Calvert - This oldest Miocene formation generally occurs at depths greater than 450 feet (Table 2). There are no wells in Northampton or Accomack Counties which are screened in this formation. It is generally recognized as an aquiclude in the Virginia Eastern Shore and adjacent Maryland Counties (Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955 and Sinnott and Tibbitts, 1968).

Choptank - The Choptank occurs below depths of 300 feet. Only two wells of small yield (about 5 gpm) tapped the Choptank. A. U. S. Geological Survey test well near Keller in Accomack County penetrated nearly 150 feet of the Choptank but no good water-bearing zones were found. Additionally, even though the Choptank is a permeable aquifer in adjacent Somerset and Worcester Counties in Maryland, it is found to be saline and of limited use (Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955). It appears from the limited data available that the Choptank formation holds little promise as a potential future source of groundwater in the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

St. Marys - The St. Marys occurs below 150 feet in Accomack County and at greater depths in Northampton County, but it is not usually developed

below 300 feet because the water normally is highly mineralized below that depth (Groundwater Quality). Most wells are 2 inches in diameter with yields averaging between 15 and 20 gpm. The highest recorded yield was 275 gpm from an 8 inch well at Exmore Foods in Northampton County which was later abandoned because of the saline content of the water (Sinnott and Tibbitts, 1968). Other reported yields ranged from 115 gpm each from two 4 inch diameter wells, 114 gpm from a 6 inch well, to yields of 194 and 254 gpm from two 8 inch diameter wells.

Yorktown - Most frequently the Yorktown occurs below 60 feet to depths ranging from 140 feet in Accomack County to about 280 feet in Northampton County. Most wells are 2 inches in diameter and yield from 15 to 25 gpm. The highest listed yield of record for any well on the Virginia Eastern Shore occurred in this aquifer. It produced 746 gpm with 37 feet of drawdown and was located at Exmore (165-15). The Exmore Foods well field in Exmore seasonally yields over one million gallons per day from the Yorktown aquifers, the most productive well yielding 350 gpm and having a specific capacity of 10 gpm/ft (Appendix A). An abandoned Cape Charles well once delivered at the rate of 645 gpm from the Yorktown aquifers.

At present, the two largest well fields on the Virginia Eastern Shore produce from multi-screened wells in both the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers. The largest single water user is Perdue, Inc. in Accomac, which currently pumps 2.1 million gallons per day. Specific capacities of the Perdue wells range from 2.3 to 5.6 gpm/ft with the two most productive Perdue wells having operational yields of 590 gpm (Appendix A). The second largest well field is Holly Farms Poultry Industries which yields 1.1 million gallons per day. The specific capacities of the Holly Farms wells range from 2.8 to 10.2 gpm/ft with operational yields of 100 gpm.

Pleistocene Aquifer - Most wells in the Columbia Group of Pleistocene Age are 1¼ to 2 inches in diameter, and their average yield is 17 gpm per well. Higher yield wells have been predominately developed in Accomack County. An irrigation well near Onancock yielded 450 gpm with 56 feet of drawdown. Two wells (18, 14) operated by the Town of Parksley (in Accomack County) yield about 150 gpm each. The municipal water system for the Town of Chincoteague uses a network of shallow wells pumped as a single composite well. Two systems of 28 and 13 wells, when pumped as a composite unit, produce over 50% of Chincoteague's .2 mgd demand.

At the present time the Pleistocene aquifer on the Virginia Eastern Shore is only slightly developed. Cushing et al. (1973) recommends that future large supplies on the Delmarva Peninsula be developed in the Pleistocene aquifer. Properly designed large supplies comparable in size to the Town of Chincoteague's supply may be developed on the Shore. The Pleistocene aquifer would be especially suitable for use in irrigation since this use does not require a high quality water. Water from the Pleistocene aquifer is generally of a poorer quality than the deeper Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers (See Groundwater Quality).

Aquifer Characteristics

An assessment of the storage and transmissivity capabilities of the aquifers of the Eastern Shore can be estimated from the aquifer coefficients of storage and transmissivity. These coefficients are generally calculated from data obtained from carefully monitored pump tests, using one or more observation wells. No published aquifer constants are available for the Eastern Shore to the best of the author's knowledge. Therefore, transmissivities were estimated from specific capacity data and Maryland transmissivity data and storage coefficients were estimated from Maryland storage coefficient data.

Table 3.--Transmissivities of selected major wells in Accomack and Northampton Counties and adjacent Maryland Counties

SWCB No.	Well Owner	Location	Aquifer	Transmissivity gpd/ft	Storage Coefficient
100-12	Holly Farms #1 Well	Temperanceville	Yorktown and St. Marys	8,000	-
100-11	#2 Well	Temperanceville	Yorktown and St. Marys	7,000	-
100-10	#3 Well	Temperanceville	Yorktown and St. Marys	8,000	-
100-9	#4 Well	Temperanceville	Yorktown and St. Marys	20,000	-
100-196	#5 Well	Temperanceville	Yorktown and St. Marys	11,000	-
100-30	Perdue #1 Well	Accomac	Yorktown and St. Marys	5,000	-
100-26	#2 Well	Accomac	Yorktown and St. Marys	9,000	-
100-29	#3 Well	Accomac	Yorktown and St. Marys	12,000	-
100-195	#4 Well	Accomac	Yorktown and St. Marys	7,000	-
100-20	#4A Well	Accomac	Yorktown and St. Marys	7,000	-
100-5	Exmore Foods #5	Exmore	Yorktown	8,000	-
100-29	#29 Well	Exmore	Yorktown	8,000	-
100-39	#39 Well	Exmore	Yorktown	21,000	-
-	Pocomoke City	Pocomoke City, Maryland	Yorktown	8,000*	.003*
-	Birdseye Foods	Pocomoke City, Maryland	Yorktown	40,000*	.0002*

Table 3.--Transmissivities of selected major wells in Accomack and Northampton Counties and adjacent Maryland Counties

SWCB No.	Well Owner	Location	Aquifer	Transmissivity gpd/ft	Storage Coefficient
-	Ocean City North Well Field	Ocean City, Maryland	Yorktown	10,000*	.0001*
-	North Well Field	Ocean City, Maryland	Yorktown	26,500*	.00001*
-	South Well Field	Ocean City, Maryland	Yorktown	14,000*	.0001*
-	Town of Princess Anne	Princess Anne, Maryland	Yorktown	7,000*	.0002*

* From Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955 - calculated using the Theis non-equilibrium formula.

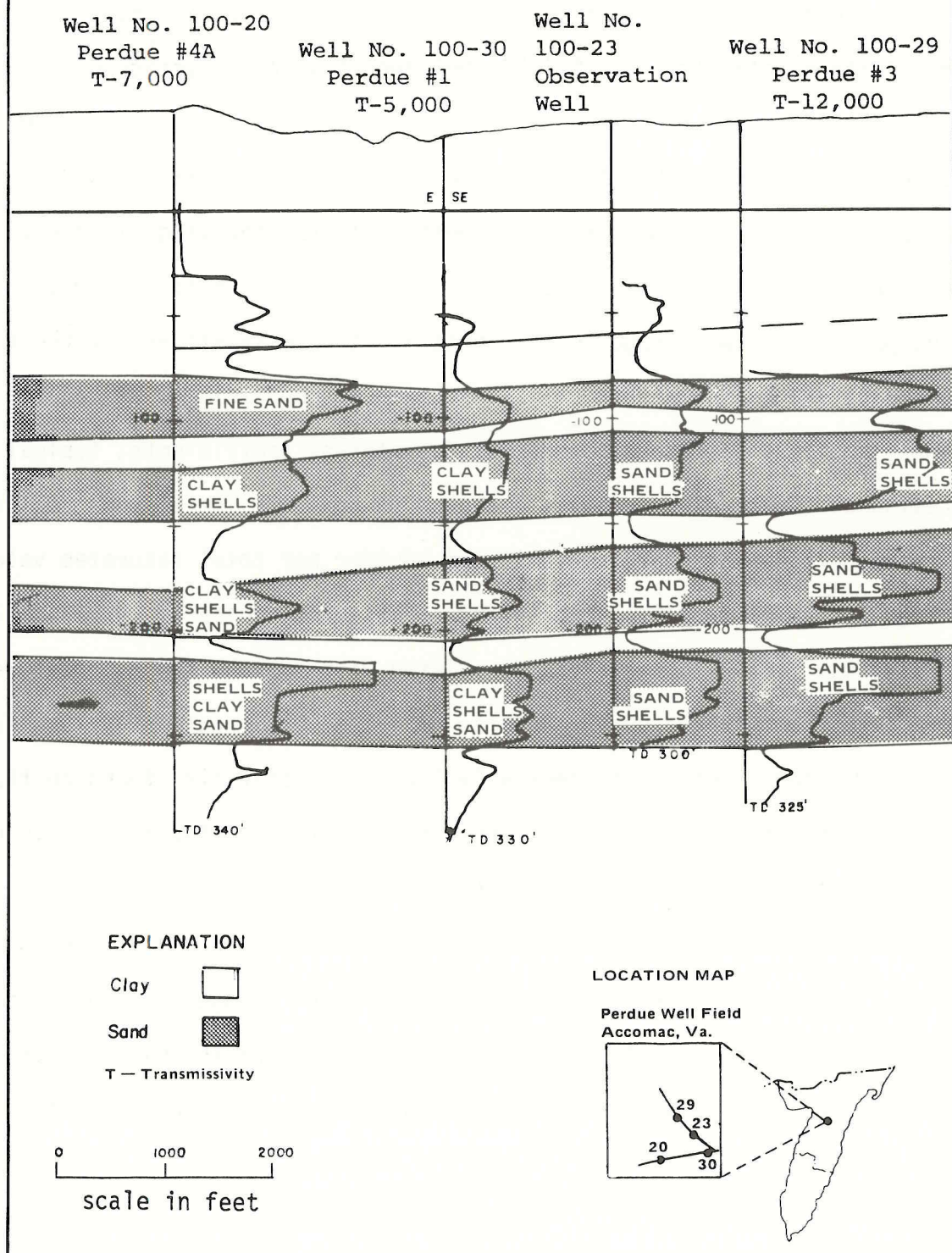
Virginia transmissivity values were estimated from specific capacity values (see Appendix D), using the graphical method in Walton, 1970.

Transmissivities and storage coefficients for the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers on the Eastern Shore were estimated. The values of transmissivity for the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers shown in Table 3 were estimated from available specific capacity data (Appendix A). The estimated Virginia transmissivities range from 5,000 to 21,000 gpd/ft with an average of 9,400 gpd/ft. For comparison purposes, transmissivities for adjacent Somerset and Worcester Counties in Maryland average 17,000 and range from 7,000 to 40,000 gpd/ft. An approximate storage coefficient for the Virginia Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers, estimating by averaging Maryland's data, is .0006.

The generally low storage coefficients and transmissivities for the Virginia artesian aquifers indicate that extensive cones of depression will develop when these aquifers are heavily pumped. The storage coefficients, typical of artesian aquifers, are generally expected to be low. The storage coefficient is a measure of the water available in the aquifer per total saturated volume of the aquifer. The localized storage of an artesian aquifer is very small compared to the total storage areas associated with the aquifer. Therefore, water derived from storage during pumping will frequently extend over a several square mile region. Due to the generally low transmissivities found on the Virginia Eastern Shore, the cones of depression, which develop in heavily pumped areas, will tend to be deep and the water level declines substantial.

Considerable variability in transmissivity (Table 3), even in the same well field, generally reflects rapid lateral physical changes in the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers. Plate 6 shows the variability of the sand bodies in the Perdue well field and the corresponding changes in transmissivities.

**ELECTRIC LOG CROSS-SECTION IN THE PERDUE, INC. WELL FIELD
ILLUSTRATING LATERAL CHANGES IN TRANSMISSIVITY DUE TO
AQUIFER VARIABILITY (MODIFIED FROM DIVISION OF WATER
RESOURCES, 1972)**



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

FIGURE 6

The sand bodies grade from interbedded sand and clay in numbered wells 100-20 and 100-30 to sand mixed with shell layers in numbered wells 100-23 and 100-29. The transmissivities also change in a similar fashion from 7,000 and 5,000 gpd/ft to 12,000 gpd/ft in response to the greater amount of permeable material present around the 12,000 gpd/ft well. This rapid lateral change in transmissivity illustrates why test drilling should be used prior to the location of large wells or well field sites. In this fashion, the most suitable aquifers which have the highest transmissivity values can be utilized.

It is also estimated, from Maryland's data (Rasmussen and Slaughter, 1955), that the Pleistocene water table aquifers of Virginia may have storage coefficients ranging from .01 to .20 and transmissivities ranging from 5,000 to 20,000 gpd/ft. Pleistocene storage coefficients and transmissivities are generally higher than the Yorktown and St. Marys storage coefficients and transmissivities. The higher storage coefficients and transmissivities of the water table aquifer indicate that large pumpage within the water table aquifer would lower water levels less than if the pumpage was located in the Yorktown or St. Marys aquifers. Cushing et al. (1973) recommends the use of the Pleistocene aquifer in the future to avoid excessive drawdowns and possible dewatering of the artesian aquifers.

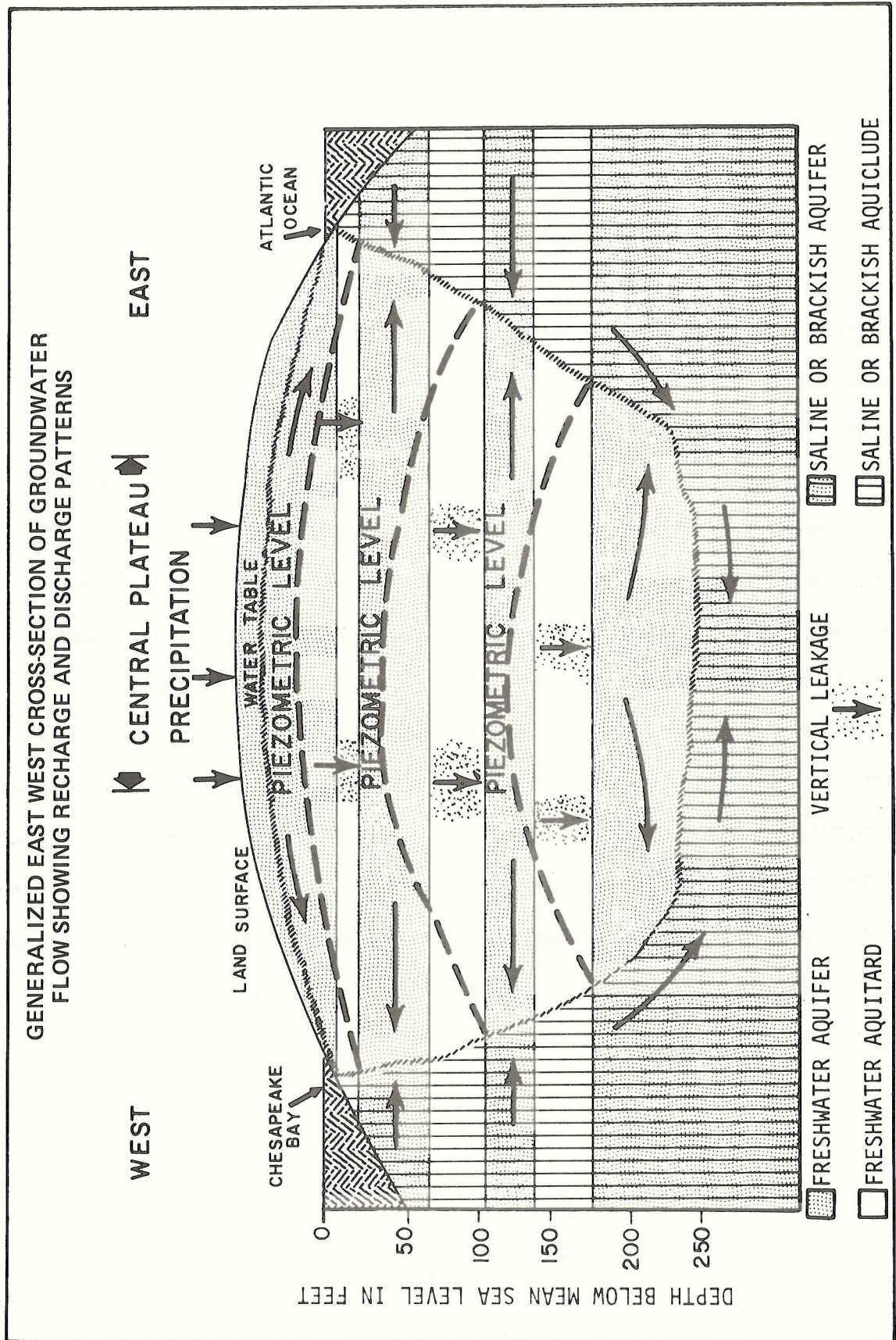
Groundwater Movement

The Pleistocene aquifer is the water table aquifer on the Eastern Shore and hence, receives recharge from rainfall infiltrating the permeable Eastern Shore soil and from the influent seepage of nearby streams. The regional movement of water in the water table aquifer is from areas of high water levels, corresponding to land surface highs of the central ridge toward the

low water levels of the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean (Plate 7). The continuous discharge of freshwater from the water table into the saltwater bodies prevents reverse movement of saltwater into the water table aquifer. Heavy pumpage in the water table aquifer will induce saltwater intrusion from the bay or ocean when the cone of depression resulting from pumping intersects the saltwater bodies. A large amount of vertical leakage occurs from the water table aquifer into the underlying Yorktown and St. Marys artesian aquifers.

As previously indicated, downward vertical leakage of freshwater from the water table continuously recharges the underlying Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers. These freshwater aquifers occur under semi-artesian conditions as can be noted from Plate 7. In an unconfined or non-artesian system, rapid vertical recharge would be the expected situation. However, in this case, regional and local aquitards, or confining layers, while inducing the artesian conditions, at the same time inhibit rapid recharge under natural flow conditions. Variations in the permeability of these aquitards have been noted especially in that occurring between the Pleistocene and underlying Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers. Thus, it can be conjectured that where these zones of increased permeability exist, rapid recharge from upper to lower aquifers is significant. This localized pseudo-confined artesian system is what the author defines as semi-artesian conditions.

The regional flow patterns within the Yorktown and St. Marys artesian system is analogous to that of the water table conditions; the flow is from high to low land elevation, toward the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean (Plate 7); vertical leakage is from high to low pressure which is downward toward the saline artesian aquifers. Constant lateral and vertical discharge of freshwater from artesian aquifers inhibits the intrusion of the



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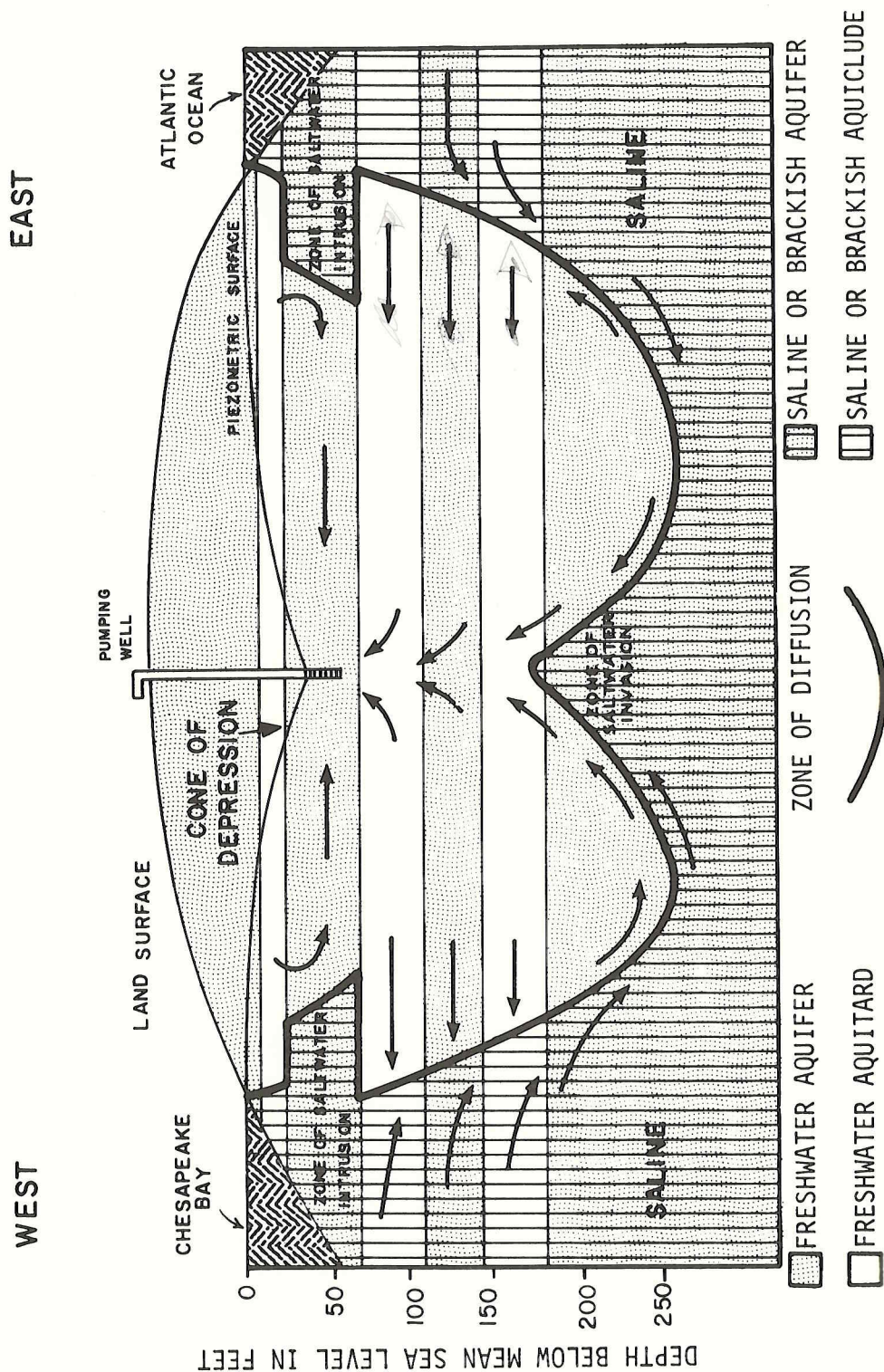
PLATE NO. 7

surrounding saline water into the freshwater aquifers. Localized heavy pumpage of the artesian aquifers on the Eastern Shore changes regional flow patterns by creating a cone of depression. This cone causes an artificial gradient, which increases the rate of vertical recharge to the artesian aquifers within the cone. (Division of Water Resources, 1972)

A direct hydrologic correlation in respect to saline migration exists between the lateral extensions and the vertex of a cone of depression. Should the lateral portion of this cone extend into a saline body, saline migration is induced along this gradient since the original freshwater-saltwater interface is no longer in equilibrium at that point (Figure 8). Furthermore, as freshwater is drawn from the aquifer, the pressure (head) on it is lowered, thus disturbing the previous equilibrium with the underlying saltwater, allowing saltwater to move upward to a point where a new interface can be established (See Groundwater Quality).

The recharge-discharge system for the Pre-Miocene aquifers on the Eastern Shore is in a large part related to the Pre-Miocene flow system of the mainland. Much of the recharge takes place west of Chesapeake Bay where the Pre-Miocene aquifers are at or near the surface. Flow is directed from the mainland downdip and eastward toward the Eastern Shore. The freshwater aquifer discharges into the saline portion of the aquifer which begins below middle Chesapeake Bay and extends oceanward (Back, 1966).

HYPOTHETICAL SALINE WATER MOVEMENT DUE TO EXCESSIVE PUMPING (MODIFIED FROM DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES, 1972)



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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CHAPTER III

GROUNDWATER QUALITY

General Conditions

The general differences in natural groundwater quality among the aquifers on the Eastern Shore are dependent on two major changes; chemical changes which occur as groundwater moves through the groundwater reservoir from recharge areas to discharge areas and those which occur when freshwater is mixed with saline water at the freshwater-saltwater interface (Plate 7). The low concentration of dissolved solids, hardness, and bicarbonate ions generally found within the Pleistocene aquifer is a consequence of the low mineral content of precipitation which first percolates through the Pleistocene aquifer and dissolves a small quantity of minerals during its short path of travel within the Pleistocene aquifer (Table 4).

As groundwater continues to move farther from recharge areas, more minerals are dissolved by the chemically unsaturated groundwater as evidenced by the increasing amount of dissolved solids and bicarbonate ions found in the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers (Plate 7 and Table 4). However, within the deep St. Marys formation the freshwater-saline water interface is encountered. Higher chloride and low hardness concentrations are found more within the St. Marys formation than are found in the overlying Yorktown formation. This change observed in the St. Marys formation is caused by the natural softening process which occurs when freshwater and saltwater are mixed at the freshwater-saltwater interface.

The unusual composition of the groundwater found within the deeper Pre-Miocene aquifers on Tangier Island indicates that the aquifer is recharged from the Virginia mainland (Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) and Table 4). The high total dissolved solids concentration is attained as minerals are dissolved along the length of the flow path. Low hardness and high bicarbonate con-

Table 4.--Average parts-per-million of dissolved solids, hardness, bicarbonate, chloride and iron

Formation	Dissolved Solids		Hardness		Bicarbonate		Chloride		Iron	
	Average	Sample Size	Average	Sample Size	Average	Sample Size	Average	Sample Size	Average	Sample Size
Pleistocene	153.4	10	79.35	63	67.54	35	27.03	60	2.08	27
Yorktown	180.8	15	112.35	125	132.78	49	33.06	85	0.56	41
St. Marys	210.25	8	105.36	44	187.50	36	107.62	41	0.15	12
Pre-Miocene Tangier Island	857	1	11.67	3	531.50	4	58.37	4	0.24	3

centrations are present on Tangier Island because the freshwater-saltwater interface within the Pre-Miocene aquifers is in close proximity to the Island (Plate 9).

Specific Conditions

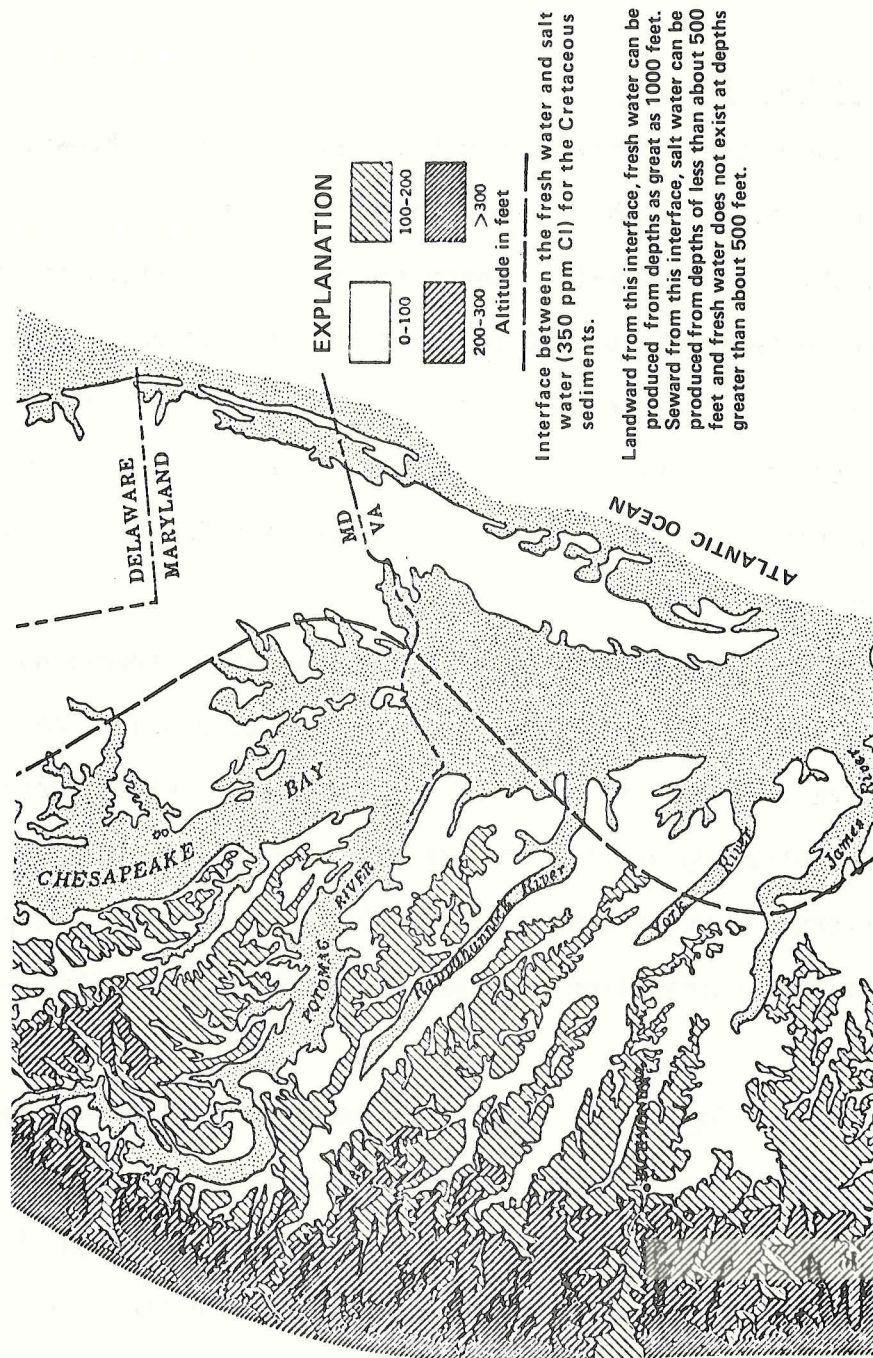
Groundwater quality within the Pleistocene, Yorktown, and St. Marys aquifers above a depth of 300 feet on the Eastern Shore mainland generally is suitable for most water uses on the Virginia Eastern Shore. The St. Marys aquifer below depths of 300 feet and the Pre-Miocene aquifers which occur below 1,100 feet on the mainland tend to be highly mineralized. Average dissolved solids, hardness, bicarbonate, chloride, and iron concentrations for the Pleistocene, Yorktown, St. Marys, and Pre-Miocene aquifers are given in Table 4.

Pleistocene Aquifer - Iron content is high, averaging 2.1 parts-per-million and varies considerably from place to place. The water may be corrosive due to a low pH. Wells utilizing the Pleistocene aquifer generally require softening units to remove iron. High chlorides may be encountered in wells within the tidal zone. Locally, nitrates may be high indicating contamination from surface drainage (See Groundwater Contamination Problems).

Yorktown Aquifers - The water from the Yorktown aquifer is generally of the hard bicarbonate type. Hardness ranges from 70 to 130 parts-per-million and averages 112 ppm. Locally, iron may be high. High chlorides may be encountered near or within the tidal zone where there is a hydraulic continuity with saline or brackish surfacewater (See Groundwater Problems).

St. Marys Aquifer - The water from the St. Marys aquifers is, on the average, softer and lower in iron than water of the overlying Yorktown aquifers

MAP SHOWING THE RELATIONSHIP OF TOPOGRAPHY TO LANDWARD EXTENT OF
SALT WATER AND FRESHWATER INTERFACE IN THE CRETACEOUS DEPOSITS.
(MODIFIED FROM BACK, 1966)



The lower St. Marys aquifers are generally highly mineralized (see 165-57, Appendix C, and Groundwater Problems).

Pre-Miocene Aquifers - The water from the Pre-Miocene aquifers on Tangier Island is generally a soft bicarbonate type. Total dissolved solids are high, in the range of 857 ppm. Only limited water quality data is available for the Pre-Miocene aquifers of the mainland. A 1,001 foot test well at Cobb Island was abandoned because it produced brackish water (Sinnott and Tibbitts, 1968). A 1,000 foot test well on Chincoteague Island in Northeastern Accomack County indicated the presence of brackish water (Leroy Jester, personal communication).¹ From the limited data available it appears that water from the Pre-Miocene aquifers on the mainland would generally be brackish and of very limited usefulness. Back (1966) indicates that the reason the Pre-Miocene aquifers on the Eastern Shore mainland will tend to be more mineralized is that the freshwater-saltwater interface is located west of the Eastern Shore Peninsula running near Tangier Island (Plate 9).

¹ Leroy Jester, Water Superintendent, Town of Chincoteague

CHAPTER IV

GROUNDWATER PROBLEMS

Water Level Declines

Groundwater levels on the Eastern Shore have been relatively constant since the 1900's, except in specific localities where heavy groundwater withdrawals from the artesian aquifers have caused cones of depression to develop which have extended as far as a mile from pumping centers. Static water levels in Sanford (1913), Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968), Division of Water Resources (1972), and Appendix A indicate that natural water table and artesian groundwater levels have been above sea level and generally conform to the natural flow patterns discussed in the previous section. Local static water level irregularities are attributed to inaccuracies in well elevation data and water level measurement during pumping, as well as tidal or seasonal variations, and possibly semi-artesian conditions (see Groundwater Movement).

The two largest cones of depression on the Eastern Shore began to develop in the late 1960's and early 1970's when the largest water users, Holly Farms Poultry Products and Perdue, Inc. began to withdraw approximately 0.8 and 1.4 mgd, respectively. The water level declines caused by the withdrawals of these two large water users were first noted when artesian wells within the cones of depression would not operate because of the lower water level. Water well contractors serviced these wells so that water could be obtained at these lower levels (Blake and Company, Boggs Water and Sewage and Bundick Well and Pump Service, personal communication).²

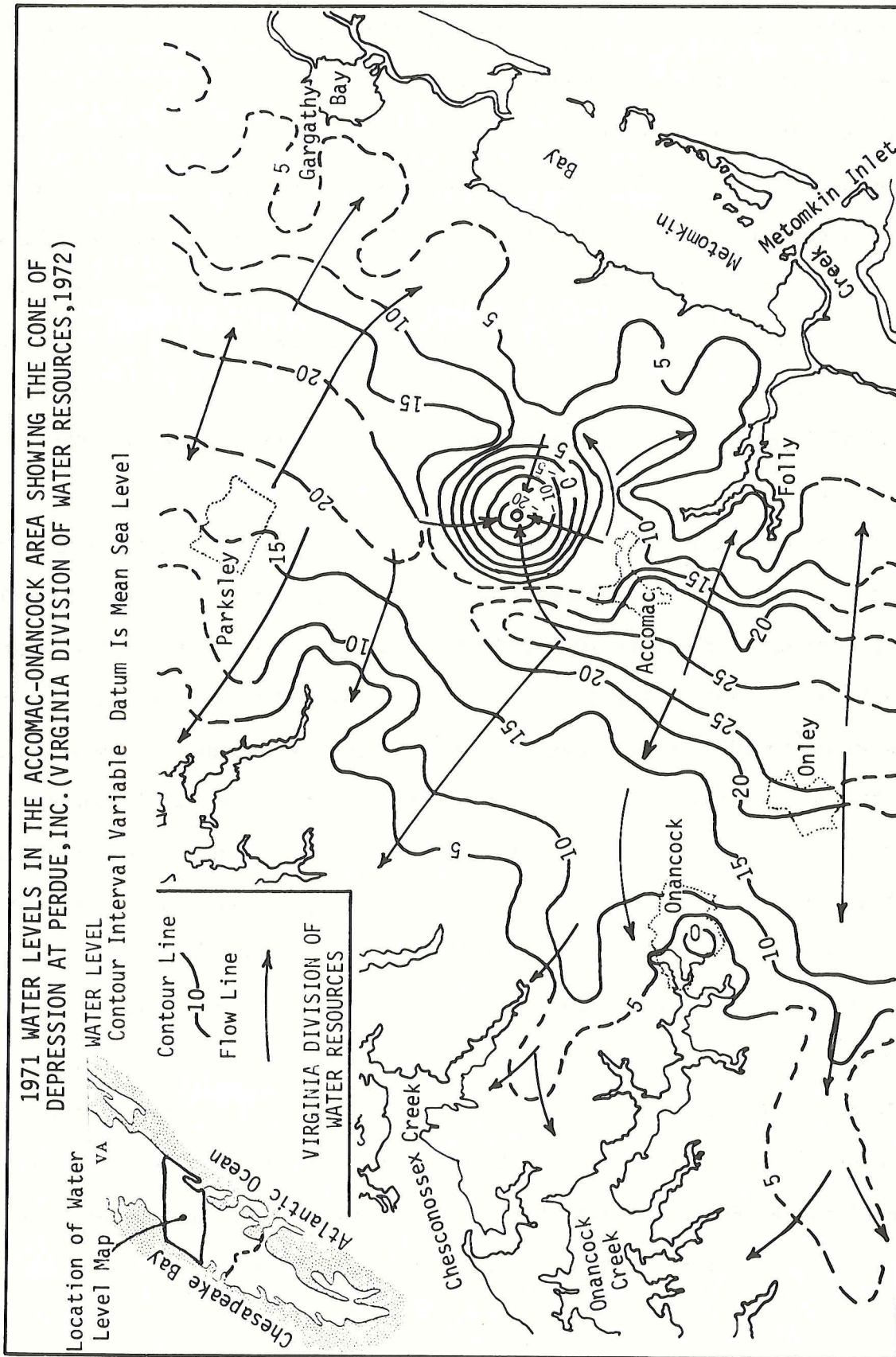
The largest cone of depression on the Eastern Shore encompasses the Perdue, Inc. well field in Accomac. The cone of depression is approximately two miles in diameter, encompassing a three and one-half square mile area,

²Blake and Company, Boggs Water and Sewage and Bundick Well and Pump Service, Water Well Contractors on the Virginia Eastern Shore.

with water level declines of 100 feet at the center of the cone (Plate 10). Water levels in the pumping wells fluctuate in response to changes in daily pumpage. The static water levels during the weekend when there is no water withdrawal fluctuates from 83 to 55 feet below the land surface during high and low demand months, respectively (Plate 11). At this time, the cone of depression appears to have stabilized or come to equilibrium for the 1973-74 average withdrawals of 2.1 mgd. In the future, however, the cone will probably expand as withdrawals increase. This trend of expansion is supported by the trend of increasing Perdue's withdrawals since pumpage began in 1970 (Appendix F).

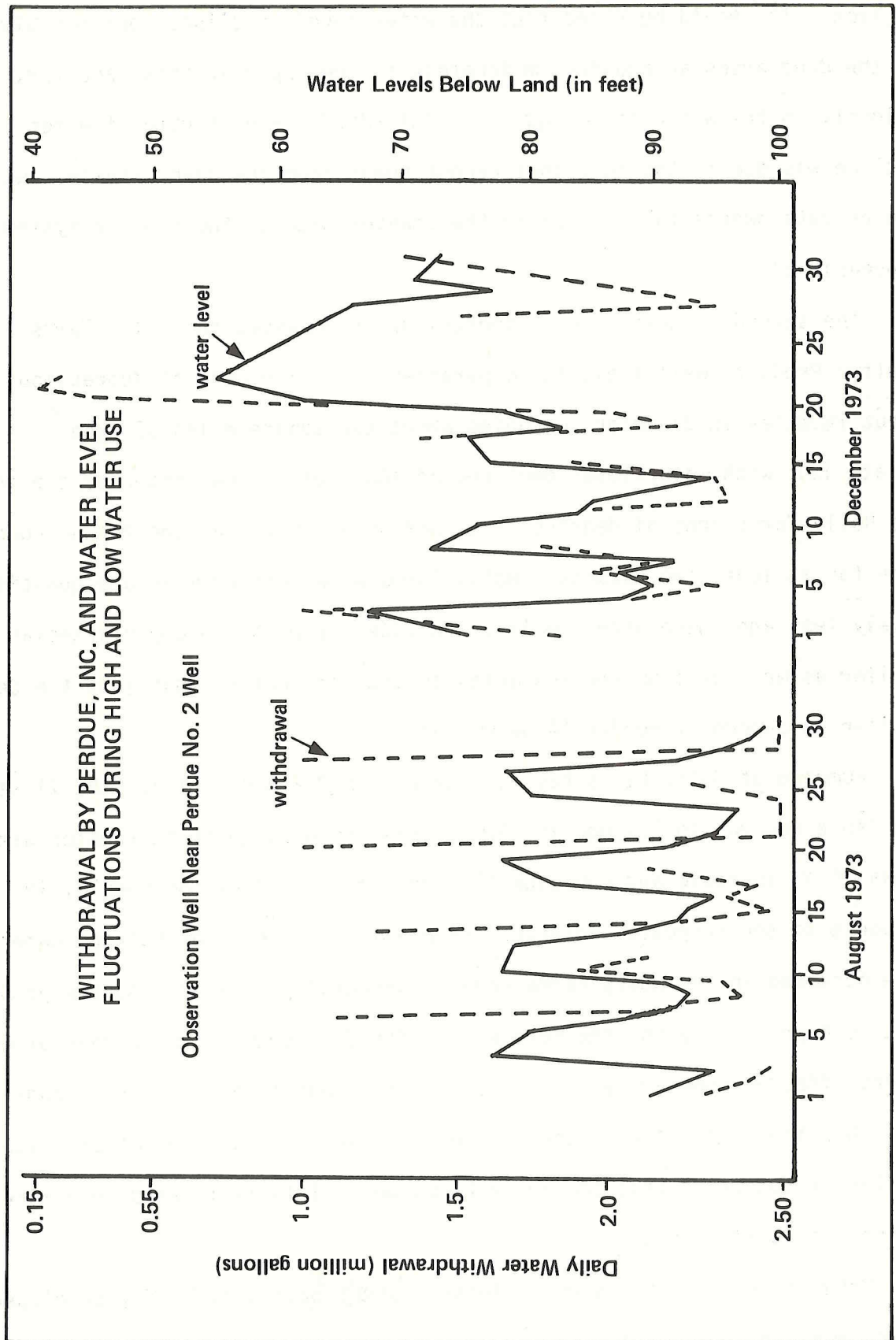
A major problem associated with the cone of depression at Perdue is the previously mentioned competition between water users. Three of Perdue's wells were drilled within 200 feet of a residential section which already had private wells tapping the same artesian aquifer. When Perdue began to withdraw water in 1970, water levels in many of the wells tapping the artesian aquifer decreased until water could not be reached. Some well owners had to have only the jet setting of their jet pump lowered to obtain water at lower depths. Other well owners burned out their jet pumps before the jet setting was lowered and thus were forced to replace the entire costly pump.

At the private well owners adjacent to Perdue's wells, water levels were too low to be reached with a jet pump. In the process of attempting to obtain water with such pumps, the owner often paid for one or more jet pumps in addition to a jet setting. In order to obtain water, the owner hired water well contractors to drill new wells in the water table aquifer and to install a water softener because the water was high



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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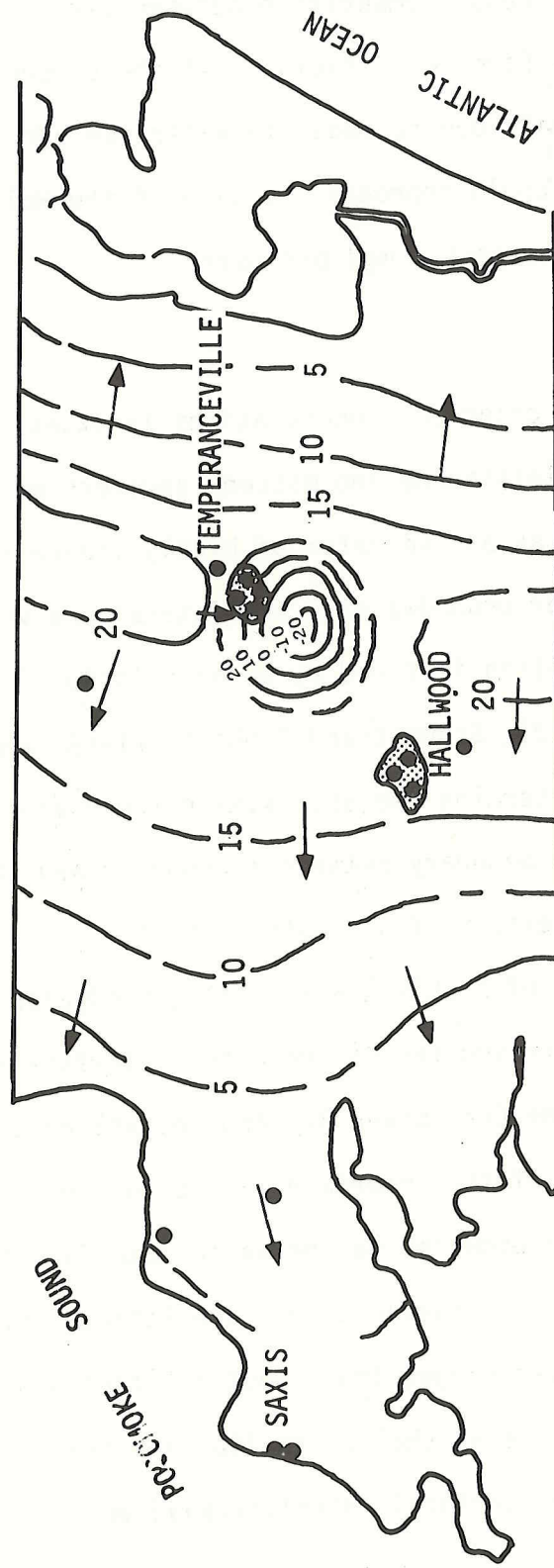
in iron. It should be noted that the water levels declined considerably in the deep artesian aquifer, moderately in the upper artesian aquifer, and slightly in the water table aquifer. This difference in rate of water level decline was due to the fact that Perdue pumps from the deep artesian aquifer. The private owners fully financed the changes made to their water systems (Appendix E).

The second largest cone of depression encompasses the Holly Farms Poultry Products well field in Temperanceville. The cone of depression is about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles in diameter, occupies about two square miles of area (Plate 12) with water level declines of 100 feet in the center of the cone. The Holly Farms cone of depression is not as extensive as the Perdue Foods cone for at least two reasons: Holly Farms water withdrawals are quantitatively less and these withdrawals are divided between the upper artesian aquifer as well as from the low artesian aquifer, rather than just the deeper aquifer as pumped by Perdue (Appendix A).

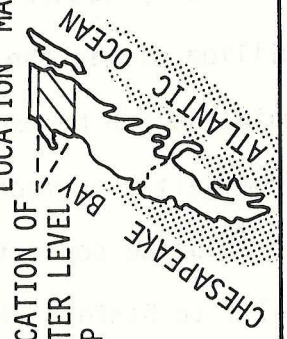
Pumpage at Holly Farms has increased from 0.8 mgd in 1968 (the first available record) to 1.2 mgd in 1974. This trend suggests that water withdrawal may increase and subsequently the cone of depression should, in response to the increase, enlarge. Problems of competition between water users have occurred in the Holly Farms cone of depression similarly to the problems discussed previously for the Perdue well field. However, the number of well owners affected monetarily by the Holly Farms cone of depression is considerably less than those affected by the Perdue Foods well field. The major reason for the lesser number is that the Holly Farms well field is located in a more sparsely populated area.

Other cones of depression of lesser extent have undoubtedly developed in Accomack and Northampton Counties due to withdrawals of other water users

1974 WATER LEVELS IN THE TEMPERANCEVILLE--HALLWOOD
AREA SHOWING THE CONE OF DEPRESSION AT HOLLY FARMS POULTRY INDUSTRIES



LOCATION OF
WATER LEVEL
MAP



- PIEZOMETRIC CONTOUR LINE
- CONTOUR INTERVAL VARIABLE
- DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL
- WATER WELLS
- FLOW LINE

SCALE IN MILES
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Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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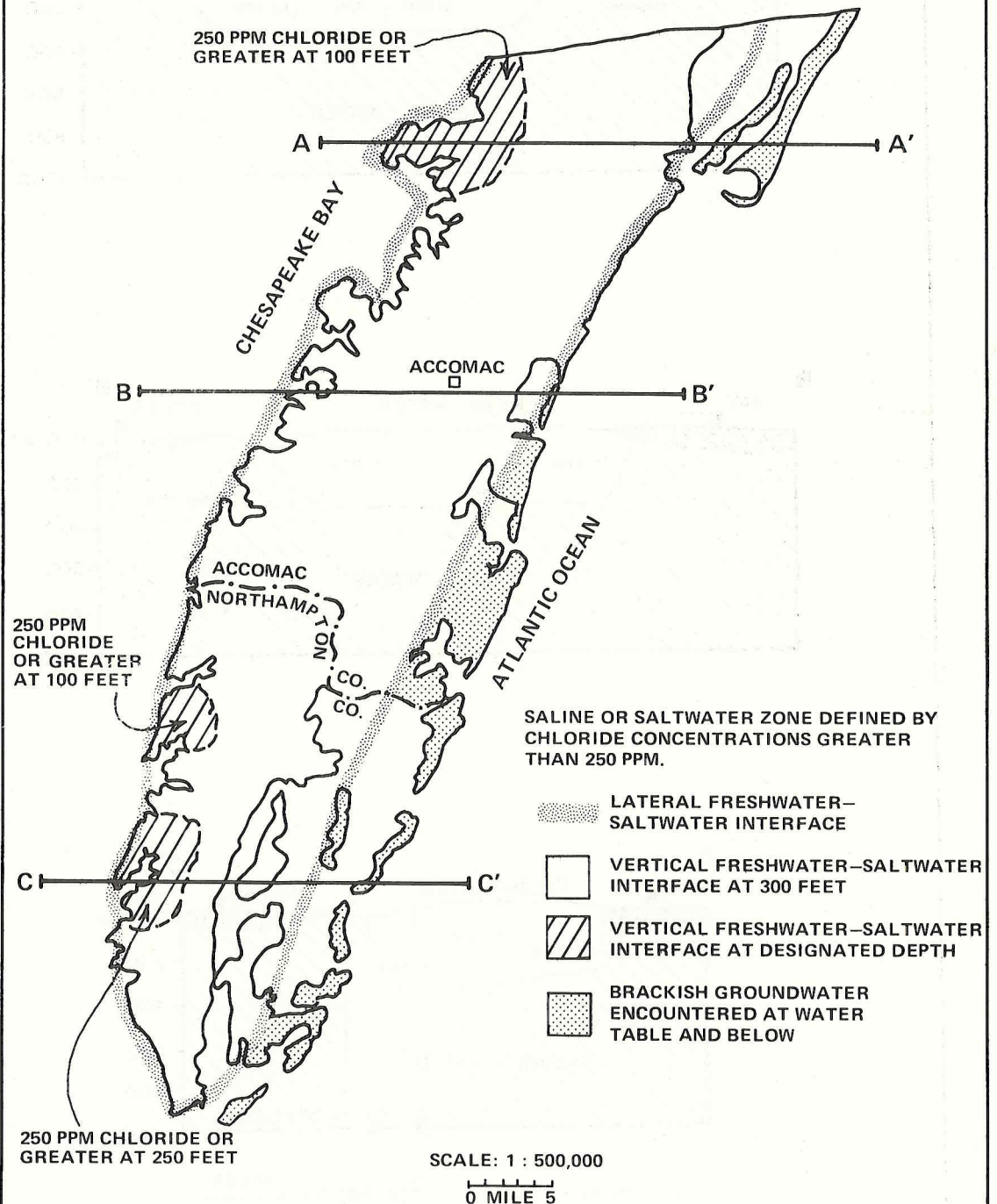
(Appendix F). The water level declines from these water users have not been large enough to cause competition between user as was observed within the Perdue and Holly Farms well fields. At the present time these cones of depression are small due to moderate water use but one or more of these cones of depression could approach the size of the Holly Farms and Perdue cones as pumpage approaches 1 mgd per user.

Chlorides

The presence of chloride concentrations in excess of 250 parts-per-million within the Pleistocene and Miocene aquifers on the Eastern Shore mainland can be used as an indicator of highly mineralized water derived from saline surface or groundwater. The lateral and vertical distribution of chloride concentration is found by using chloride data from individual wells in Sanford (1913), Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) and Appendix D. This information can be utilized to determine the approximate freshwater-saltwater interfaces which approximate the boundary between freshwater and saltwater and in addition, depict the extent of saltwater intrusion.

The distribution of highly mineralized groundwater is shown in Plates 13 and 14. The lateral freshwater-saline water interface is located along the marshes paralleling the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean (Plate 13). Wells drilled outside of the interface will encounter highly mineralized water. The vertical freshwater-saline water interface is defined as the depth to highly mineralized groundwater within the lateral interface. The depth of highly mineralized water ranges from about 300 feet along the central ridge of the mainland to depths as shallow as 100 feet near the Chesapeake Bay. Wells drilled below the vertical interface will encounter highly mineralized water.

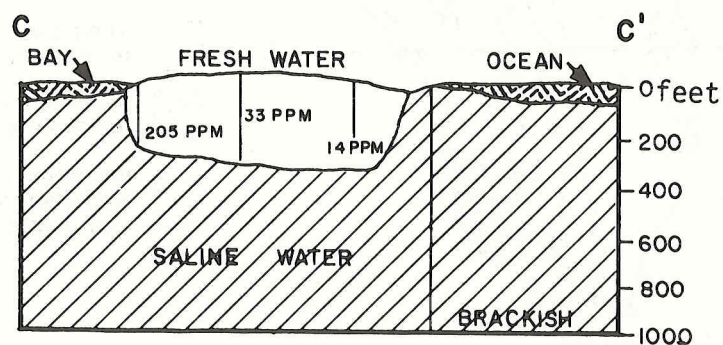
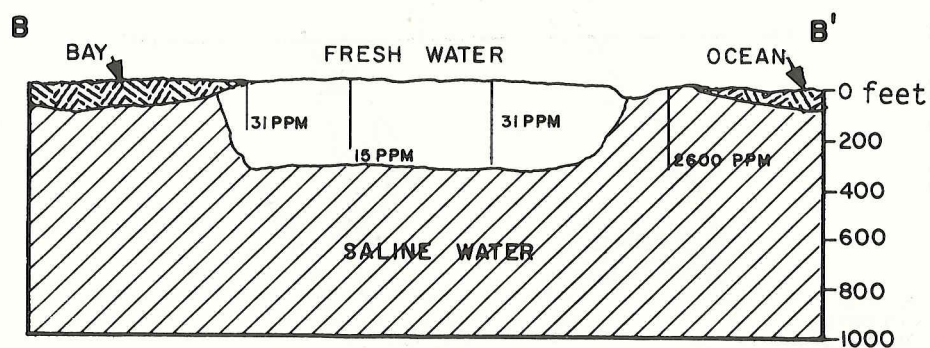
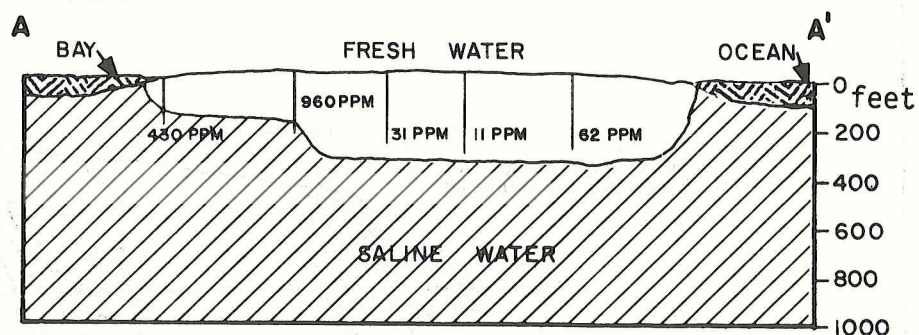
THE DEPTH TO SALINE WATER—CHLORIDE CONCENTRATIONS GREATER THAN 250 PARTS—PER—MILLION



Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

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EAST-WEST CROSS-SECTIONS SHOWING CHLORIDE DISTRIBUTION



HORIZONTAL SCALE 1:500,000

MILES
0 5

Source: Virginia State Water Control Board

PLATE NO. 14

At the present time there is no evidence of significant regional saltwater intrusion. The Environmental Protection Agency (1973) defines saltwater intrusion as the encroachment of saline water into previously freshwater aquifers, induced by water withdrawals or other changes altering natural conditions. No changes were observed in the position of the freshwater-saline water interface during the 70 years for which there is chloride data. The present freshwater-saline water interface shown in Plates 13 and 14 is a natural condition which has stabilized. Only one case of vertical saltwater intrusion has been noted on the Shore. This intrusion occurred according to Sinnott and Tibbitts (1968) when a well in the Exmore Foods well field turned "salty" after a period of time and was abandoned.

Saltwater intrusion will occur whenever the natural flow pattern (Plate 7) is modified to the extent that the flow of saltwater enters freshwater aquifers (Plate 8). Cones of depression which extend into saltwater bodies will induce saltwater intrusion. Saltwater intrusion can be minimized by locating well fields with significant cones of depression along the central ridge. Such a location would maximize the distance between the lateral freshwater-saltwater interface. A computer or analog model could be used to predict situations when saltwater intrusion would occur in response to present and future water withdrawals (Desai and Contractor, 1975).

Groundwater Contamination

The presence of high nitrate concentrations in groundwater on the Eastern Shore is an indication of groundwater contamination attributed to nitrogen rich deposits in buried soil zones. High nitrates are generally found in shallow groundwater within 90 feet of the surface (Plate 15). This contaminated

**VARIATION IN NITRATE CONCENTRATION WITH DEPTH
ON THE VIRGINIA EASTERN SHORE**

The graph displays the relationship between well depth and nitrate concentration. The y-axis represents well depth in feet, ranging from 0 to 300. The x-axis represents nitrate concentration in ppm, ranging from 0 to 40. A horizontal line at 100 feet depth separates the 'HIGH NO₃ ZONE' (shaded) from the 'LOW NO₃ ZONE' (unshaded).

Well Depth (ft)	NO ₃ Concentration (ppm)
0 - 10	0 - 35
10 - 50	0 - 35
50 - 100	0 - 35
100 - 150	0 - 10
150 - 200	0 - 10
200 - 250	0 - 10
250 - 300	0 - 10

PLATE NO. 15

zone is within the Pleistocene aquifer which is under water table conditions and is therefore susceptible to surface contamination. Although the specific sources of contamination have not been identified, high nitrates generally indicate such sources of contamination as septic tanks, feedlots, and fertilizers (Walker, 1968). One well used by the Town of Parksley (100-1, Appendix B) is 140 feet deep and shows fluctuations in sulfates and chlorides in addition to nitrates. The high sulfates and chlorides in this case are attributed to outside pollutants, rather than to any natural causes. Other contaminants, which are not commonly analyzed, may also be in the groundwater.

The preceding indication of groundwater contamination may be important to further groundwater development on the Eastern Shore. The present degree and sources of contamination within the shallow and artesian aquifers should be defined. In the future, groundwater contamination will almost certainly increase, if not properly managed, because the quantity of man-made wastes and other material--i.e. domestic sewage, solid wastes, fertilizers, insecticides, and other chemical wastes will increase proportionately with population and industrial development. In addition, increased pumpage will increase vertical recharge and thus may induce the vertical flow of contaminants where wastes are located within large cones of depression. Once the contaminants are induced vertically into the aquifer, they will flow laterally and may contaminate nearby pumping wells.

It is important to place future waste disposal sites at locations which would minimize contamination. The objective would be to minimize the possible flow path of contaminants from the surface to discharge areas in the Bay, Ocean, or saline aquifers. The best sites would, of necessity, have to be located away from major recharge areas on the central plateau, but closer

to discharge areas situated near the Bay and the Atlantic Ocean (Sendlein and Palmquist, 1975). However, the waste disposal site must be located far enough from surface water bodies to prevent the discharge of contaminated groundwater into the surface water bodies. Further study is needed to determine the optimum distance from the Bay or Ocean which would minimize both groundwater and surface water contamination.

It should be inferred from the preceding discussions concerning the distribution of mineralized water, general contamination of groundwater, and saltwater intrusion references, that the future supply of available water is dependent on solutions to these water quality problems. In other words, estimates of water supply availability, based solely on quantity figures such as recharge are not only inaccurate, but misleading as well. Saltwater intrusion as well as general groundwater contamination must be prevented or extremely restricted in order for the Virginia Eastern Shore's future water demands to be assured.

CHAPTER V
AVAILABILITY OF WATER

Present Use

Present and future water demand on the Eastern Shore were estimated by the Virginia Division of State Planning and Community Affairs (1972). The total water demand for the year 1960-70 period was estimated from limited data to be 4.4 billion gallons per year. It is useful to break this figure down into the various demands which are:

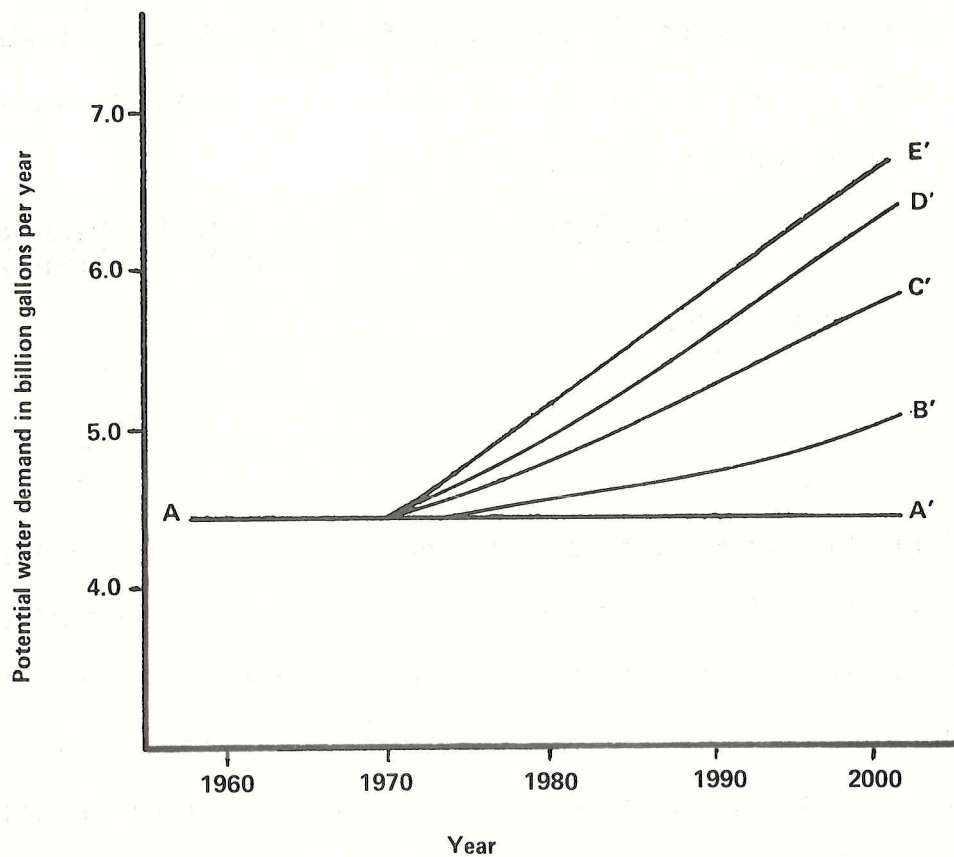
<u>Source of Demand</u>	<u>Quantity Demanded</u> in billion gallons per year
Agri-business sector uses	
Irrigation water	1.35
Agricultural Food Processing	1.12
Domestic and Public Uses	1.58
Other Uses	.37
Total	<u>4.42</u>

The irrigation demand was estimated by assuming that 4.5 inches are applied to a typical irrigated acre and that 11,094 acres are irrigated. The agricultural food processing demand on the Shore including poultry, vegetables, and fruit products, was estimated from Economic Data Summaries. The domestic and public demand was obtained by assuming 100 gallons per capita as the average daily water consumption and using the 1970 population figure of 43,445. Other demand was a catch-all for those part-time food processors in the agri-business and seafood sectors.

Future Needs

Four future demand curves were estimated based on four separate sets of demand assumptions (Plate 16). If there is no increase in demand, future demand will follow curve A-A'. The domestic and service related demand is extremely uncertain because of the difficulty in estimating the Eastern Shore population. If other demands remained constant and the population increased

**WATER DEMAND FOR THE EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA FROM
1970 TO 2000 (MODIFIED FROM VIRGINIA DIVISION OF STATE
PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, 1972)**



Curve A-A': Water demand assuming no change in present demand.

Curve A-B': Water demand assuming no change except for a 1% yearly increase in population.

Curve A-C': Water demand assuming no change except for a 100% increase in irrigation water demand between 1970 and 2000.

Curve A-D': Water demand assuming no change except for a 100% increase in irrigation water demand and a 1% yearly increase in population.

Curve A-E': Water demand assuming no change except for a 100% increase in irrigation water demand and a sudden increase of 5000 persons in population by 1985 due to offshore oil and gas exploration and development.

1% for the water demand would follow curve A-B'. There are many factors which determine the irrigation demand including weather (volume and distribution of rain, temperature, and wind), irrigation costs (including water costs), land market (profit market and crops grown). According to Virginia Division of State Planning and Community Affairs (1972), water demand will not increase significantly before the year 2000, except for irrigation water demand which may double in future years (Curve A-C'). If irrigation demand doubles by the year 2000 and population were to increase 1% per year by that date, then demand could possibly be 6.3 billion gallons in the year 2000 (Curve A-D').

The Virginia Division of State Planning and Community Affairs (1972) did not consider the effect of offshore oil and gas development on future water demand on the Eastern Shore. The Virginia Outer Continental Shelf Advisory Committee (1974) estimates that by 1985 outer continental shelf development on the Eastern Shore will require about 0.6 mgd of water. Development includes a proposed Brown and Root offshore drilling platform fabricating plant, two gas processing plants and an increase in population of 6,000 persons by 1985. The water demand assuming that offshore development will only increase slightly after 1985 and that the other demands will follow curve A-D' (Plate 16), would generally follow curve A-E'. Demand may be above A-E' if offshore oil and gas development is extensive. On the other hand, a low degree of offshore oil and gas development and a smaller increase in irrigation than anticipated would mean that demand would roughly follow curve A-E'.

Future Potential Supply

It is important to predict the potential groundwater supply available

on the Eastern Shore in order to determine the availability of water for future development and the distribution of supply for adequate land use planning.

Inspection of present water use on the Eastern Shore indicates that water demand (Curve A-E', Plate 12) projected to the year 2000 will probably be satisfied by further groundwater development. However, if future development on the Shore is substantially greater than predicted by the Virginia Outer Continental Shelf Advisory Committee (1974), future water demand may not be as easily satisfied. Many problems discussed previously which affect the availability of groundwater for supply must be considered to arrive at reliable figures for future water supply on the Eastern Shore.

A computer model should be designed to evaluate physical and chemical parameters to determine the degree to which groundwater problems on the Eastern Shore, including water level declines, saltwater intrusion, and groundwater contamination, will limit future groundwater supply. Data including the area's extent, recharge, and physical characteristics of the aquifer should be used to model regional flow patterns and water levels within the Pleistocene, Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers. The effect of future withdrawals on water levels and regional flow pattern can be then evaluated and the optimum spacing of well fields on the Virginia Eastern Shore can then be made. Further refinement of the model would be necessary to evaluate water quality and density data so that saltwater intrusion may be predicted for future water withdrawals and water level conditions on the Eastern Shore as exemplified in Pinder (1970). Groundwater contamination data should also be entered into the model to estimate the aquifers or parts of which may be contaminated beyond use in the future. Only after an estimate of the effect of these three major problems can a complete assessment of future water supply on the Virginia Eastern Shore be made.

CHAPTER VI

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Conclusions

From this study it is concluded that the following conditions exist on the Eastern Shore.

(1) Groundwater level declines--Artesian groundwater levels have declined excessively in sections of Accomack County within the cones of depression of Perdue, Inc. and Holly Farms Poultry Products. Groundwater levels in these areas may continue to decline as water withdrawals increase. No major groundwater level declines are occurring in Northampton County at the present time, but future withdrawals like those in Accomack County could create similar problems in Northampton County.

(2) Interference between users--The wells of Perdue, Inc. as well as those of Holly Farms Poultry Products in Accomack County have interfered with the wells of a number of adjacent private well owners.

(3) Saltwater Intrusion--There is no evidence of significant saltwater intrusion occurring on the Eastern Shore at the present time but increases in water withdrawals may create saltwater intrusion problems in the future.

(4) Groundwater Contamination--The Pleistocene aquifer on the Eastern Shore has been exposed to numerous pollutants and may be expected to become increasingly more polluted as future development proceeds. There is no evidence of significant groundwater contamination to the Yorktown and St. Marys aquifers at the present time but these aquifers may also be expected to become polluted as development proceeds.

Recommendations

(1) A computer model should be constructed to determine future water supply available on the Eastern Shore based on field data and data in this report. Specifically, the model should predict groundwater level declines, saltwater intrusion, and the present and future extent of groundwater contamination.

(2) A comprehensive and continuous program of basic data collection is necessary for an understanding of groundwater conditions and for the implementation of the computer model. The type of necessary data includes:

- (a) basic data for aquifer description,
- (b) basic data for hydrologic information, including pumping tests and a network of observation wells to monitor water levels including a continuous recording gage,
- (c) groundwater quality data,
- (d) data on water withdrawals for the major water users, and
- (e) information on newly constructed wells and on abandonment of wells.

(3) Competition between large water users and private well owners may be minimized if the private owners change to a public system. Public type water supplies would be more efficient and economical in these areas of increasing competition. Also, the large water users should be encouraged to locate their well field away from a developed area.

(4) A periodic special chloride survey of wells along the Bay and Ocean adjacent to highly pumped areas can determine at what rate if any saltwater intrusion is occurring. It is important to sample wells of varying depth and especially those which are of equal depth to those within the major well fields. In addition, a program of exploratory drilling is necessary to

define the depth of high chlorides in the vicinity of the larger cones of depression. Geophysical logs should be collected for each well, and water samples should be collected for each specific aquifer. The same test hole may be completed as an observation well in which to monitor water levels and water quality.

(5) A survey of wells high in nitrates should be made to determine the source and extent of contamination. Useful data may be obtained by chemically monitoring landfills, holding ponds, fertilized fields, etc. at various topographic positions to determine the vertical and horizontal extent of contaminated groundwater. Data obtained can be used to establish general criteria for waste disposal on the Eastern Shore.

(6) Increased development of the Pleistocene water table aquifer for irrigation and other uses which do not require high quality water should be encouraged in order to avoid excessive drawdowns and possible dewatering of the underlying artesian aquifers.

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Definitions

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| Aquiclude | - A formation of relatively low permeability that overlies or underlies an artesian aquifer and confines water in the aquifer under pressure. |
| Aquifer | - A water-bearing formation, group of formations, or part of a formation that will yield ground-water in useful quantities. |
| Aquitard | - A formation that partially restricts ground-water flow. |
| Artesian aquifer | - A confined aquifer in which groundwater rises in a well above the point at which it is found in the aquifer. |
| Bicarbonates (Metal + HCO_3
e.g. Na HCO_3) | - Can raise the pH to a high concentration which may be corrosive. |
| Capillary fringe | - The zone of partial or complete saturation directly above the water table in which water is held in the pore spaces by capillarity. |
| Chlorides (Cl^-) | - Are indicative of concentrations of salt water concentrations above 250 milligrams per liter (mg/l) are detectable by taste. |
| Cone of depression | - A conelike depression of water table or of the piezometric surface that is found in the vicinity of a well by pumping. The surface area included in the cone is known as the area of influence of the well. |
| Confined water | - Water under artesian pressure. Water that is not confined is said to be under water table conditions. |
| Confining bed | - A bed which overlies or underlies an aquifer and which, because of low permeability relative to the aquifer, prevents or impedes upward or downward loss of water and pressure. An aquiclude. |
| Dissolved Solids | - Generally noticeable in concentrations greater than 500 mg/l. |
| Drawdown | - The depression or decline of the water level in a pumped well or in nearby wells caused by pumping. It is the vertical distance between the static and the pumping levels of the well. |

Evapotranspiration	- The combined discharge of water to the air by direct evaporation and plant transpiration.
Flowing well	- A well having sufficient artesian pressure head to discharge water above the land surface.
Groundwater	- Water beneath land surface in the zone of saturation and below the water table.
Hardness	- Quality of water that prevents lathering because of calcium and magnesium salts which form insoluble soaps.
Hydraulic gradient	- The gradient or slope of the water table of piezometric surface, in the direction of the greatest slope generally expressed in feet per mile.
Hydrogeology	- The science of the natural laws that control occurrence and movement of groundwater. Geology as affected by hydrology.
Hydrology	- The science that relates to water movements and physical characteristics.
Igneous rocks (Basement Rock)	- Rocks formed by the cooling and crystallization of molten or partly molten material.
Infiltration	- The flow or movement of water into the surface soil and rocks.
Interstices	- The openings or pore spaces in a soil or rock formation. In an aquifer, they are filled with water.
Lithology	- The large scale physical characteristics of rocks/sediments.
Losing stream	- A stream losing water to groundwater storage (formerly termed "influent stream").
Metamorphic rocks	- Rocks altered from preexisting rocks by changes in temperature, pressure, and chemical environment.
Nitrates (NO_3)	- A salt or ester of nitrous acid (concentrations greater than 45 parts per million (ppm) can be toxic.
Nonflowing artesian well	- An artesian well in which the head is not sufficient to raise water to the land surface at the well site.

pH	- The negative logarithm of the Hydrogen Ion activity--measured 1 through 14 with 7 being neutral, 1 being most indicative of acidity and 14 most indicative of alkalinity.
Paleontology	- The study of fossil animal and plant remains to determine past environments.
Percolation	- Movement under hydrostatic pressure of water through the interstices of rocks or soils, except movement through large openings such as solution channels.
Permeability	- The ability of a rock to transmit water per unit of cross-section.
Piezometric surface	- An imaginary surface that everywhere coincides with the hydrostatic head of water in an artesian aquifer.
Porosity	- The ratio of the volume of the openings in a rock to the total volume of the rock.
Pumping level	- The relative elevation of the water surface in a well during pumping.
Recharge	- The addition of water to an aquifer by natural infiltration or artificial means. Injection of water into an aquifer through wells is one form of artificial recharge.
Recovery	- The residual drawdown after pumping has stopped.
Saltwater intrusion	- The phenomenon occurring when a body of saltwater, because of its greater density, invades a body of freshwater. This may be caused by a loss of pressure in the freshwater.
Sedimentary rocks	- Usually stratified formations consisting of products of weathering by action of water, wind, ice, etc.
Static water level	- The level of water in a non-pumping or non-flowing well.
Stratigraphy	- The relationship of the formation composition, sequence and correlation of layered rocks on sediments.
Storage Coefficient	- Volume of water contained in an aquifer which is related to porosity. Expressed as an absolute value normally from 0.00001 to 0.001 for artesian aquifers and from 0.01 to 0.35 for water table conditions.

Transmissivity	- The capacity of an aquifer to transmit water in gallons per unit of time per section 1 foot wide by aquifer thickness. Expressed as gallons per day per foot (gpd/ft) normally ranging from 1000 to 1,000,000 gpd/ft.
Unconfined aquifer	- Water not under artesian pressure. Generally applied to denote water below the water table.
Water table	- The surface of unconfined groundwater which is determined by gravity.
Water-table aquifer	- An aquifer which is not confined above, in which the water level in a well indicates the water table.
Zone of aeration	- The zone in which the open spaces in soil or in a rock formation contain air and water.
Zone of saturation	- The zone in which the open spaces in the rocks are completely filled with water.

APPENDIX A

Well Characteristics in the Major Well Fields

The following tables contain data on the well characteristics for the three major well fields on the Eastern Shore in recent years, including Holly Farms Poultry Industries in Temperanceville, Perdue, Inc. located in Accomac, and Exmore Foods in Exmore. The data was obtained from water well completion reports and interviews with plant operators. The data listed in Appendix A include:

- State Water Control Board Well Number
- Owner's Number
- Screen Depth or Total Depth
- Formation Name
- Well Casing Diameter (in)
- Test yield (gpm)
- Drawdown (ft)
- Specific Capacity (gpm/ft)
- Operational yield (gpm)
- Approximate transmissivity (gpd/ft)

WELL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE HOLLY FARMS POULTRY INDUSTRIES WELL FIELD, TEMPERANCEVILLE

SWCB Number	Owner's Number	Screen Depth	Geologic Formation	Diameter (in)	Test Yield (gpm)	Drawdown (ft)	Specific Capacity (gpm/ft)	Operational Yield (gpm)	Approximate * Transmissivity (gpd/ft)
12	#1	134-149 150-173 205-215	Yorktown St. Marys	8	254	65	3.9 -12 hr	100	8,000
11	#2	138-146 157-171 200-212	Yorktown St. Marys	8	250	89	2.8 -5 hr	100	7,000
10	#3	138-146 158-172 200-212	Yorktown St. Marys	8	167	42	4.0 -7 hr	100	8,000
9	#4	132-140 156-170 196-208	Yorktown St. Marys	8	195	19	10.2 -8 hr	100	20,000
196	#5	130-138 152-166 196-204 214-222 226-234 270-285	Yorktown St. Marys	8	200	30	6.6 -2 hr	100	11,000
Total 1974 Pumpage 1.1 MGD * estimated from specific capacity, well diameter, and time of pump test (Walton, 1970)									

WELL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE PERDUE, INC. WELL FIELD, ACCOMAC

SWCB Number 100-	Owner's Number	Screen Depth	Geologic Formation	Diameter (in)	Test Yield (gpm)	Drawdown (ft)	Specific Capacity (gpm/ft)	Operational Yield (gpm)	Approximate* Transmissivity (gpd/ft)
30	#1	204-238 256-288 298-304	St. Marys Yorktown	10	280	144	2.3 -24 hr	270	5000
26	#2	204-240 256-292	St. Marys Yorktown	10	503	112	4.4 -24 hr	590	9000
29	#3	202-238 258-294	St. Marys Yorktown	10	501	116	5.6 -24 hr	590	12,000
195	#4	218-244 260-304	St. Marys Yorktown	10	-	-	2.8 -24 hr	340	7000
20	#4A	131-141 151-161 176-186 233-243 266-276	St. Marys Yorktown	10	99	39	2.5 -72 hr	100	7000
Total 1974 Pumpage 2.1 MGD									
* estimated from specific capacity, well diameter, and time of pump test (Walton, 1970)									

WELL CHARACTERISTICS IN THE EXMORE FOODS WELL FIELD, EXMORE

SWCB Number 165-	Owner's Number	Screen Depth	Geologic Formation	Diameter (in)	Test Yield (gpm)	Drawdown (ft)	Specific Capacity (gpm/ft)	Operational Yield (gpm)	Approximate* Transmissivity (gpd/ft)
33	#1	230	Yorktown	6	-	-	-	50	-
-	#2, #3, #4 abandoned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	#5	58	Pleistocene	8	-	-	-	-	-
38	#6	196	Yorktown	8	-	-	-	150	-
5	#7	142-157 188-218	Yorktown	8	-	-	4.3	350	8,000
29	#8	130-155 188-203 212-217	Yorktown	8	-	-	4.1 -12 hr	330	8,000
39	#9	132-137 144-159 188-218	Yorktown	10	-	-	10.0 -24 hr	300	21,000
Seasonal Pumpage - Total 1974 Pumpage .22 MGD * estimated from specific capacity, well diameter, and time of pump test (Walton, 1970)									

APPENDIX B

Well Data

The following table is a compilation of well data from wells in the Eastern Shore Peninsula. This table and Appendices C, D, and E can be used to obtain detailed ground-water information in areas of interest within the Peninsula. The information in Appendix B includes:

- State Water Control Board Well Number (SWCB No.)
- Name and Location of the well
- Virginia Plane Coordinate locations of the well. Virginia Plane Coordinate location grids appear on all U.S.G.S. topographic quadrangles. The north and east coordinates provide the exact location of the well
- Static water level below land surface (SWL LSD) in the well and date of measurement
- Total Depth (TD) of the well
- Elevation (ELEV) of the well
- Casing Diameter (CAS DIA)
- Pump Test Data, which include the specific capacity (SP CAP) in gallons per minute per foot of drawdown and the duration (HRS) of the pump test.
- Available well logs, which include Drillers Log (D), Electric Log (E) and Gamma-Ray Log (G)
- The depth of the screens in the well
- The number of the U.S.G.S. Topographic Quadrangle on which the well is located (TOPO #) (See Table 1-B)

The information in Appendix B can be used to determine the depth to aquifers, the water levels in the aquifers and the yield capabilities of the aquifers. In addition, chemical analyses for many of the wells listed are presented in Appendices B and C.

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE NAMES

<u>BWCM</u> <u>MAP #</u>	<u>QUADRANGLE NAME</u>	<u>BWCM</u> <u>MAP #</u>	<u>QUADRANGLE NAME</u>
120-B	Accomac	93-A	Nassawadox
142-D	Bloxom	142-C	Parksley
163-D	Boxiron	164-D	Pocomoke City
94-D	Cape Charles	121-A	Pungoteague
93-C	Cheriton	92-A	Quinby Inlet
64-D	Chesapeake Channel	142-B	Saxis
143-D	Chesconassex	63-A	Ship Shoal
141-B	Chincoteague East	143-C	Tangier Island
141-B	Chincoteague West	63-B	Townsend
93-D	Cobb Island	120-C	Wachapreague
143-A	Crisfield	141-C	Wallops Island
64-A	Elliotts Creek	162-C	Whittington Point
144-A	Ewell		
121-D	Exmore		
63-C	Fisherman's Island		
93-B	Franktown		
163-C	Girdletree		
143-B	Great Fox Island		
92-C	Great Machipongo Inlet		
142-A	Hallwood		
121-C	Jamesville		
120-A	Metomkin Inlet		
121-B	Nandua Creek		

SAC	NAME AND LOCATION	VA PLANE COORD	DATE	SWL	TD	ELEV	CAS	PUMP TEST	LOG	* ZONES OF DEVELOPMENT *	TOPO *
NO		7 NORTH	EAST	MO	YR	USD (FT)	DIA	YIELD DRDN	FROM TO	FROM TO	FROM TO
100	ACCOMMODATION										
1	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #1	2 540500	2423100	05	47	19	200	40 08 06	22	86 0	0129 0140
2	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #2	2 512500	2400000	05	68	12	242	25 18 08	203	91 06G	0108 0123
3	GULF STREAM MURSEY #3	2 471000	2411000	12	68	5	304	10 08	192	163 0	0174 0194
4	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #1	2 512500	2400000	01	53	9	145	10	147	125 0	0106 0110
5	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #2	2 512500	2400000	01	53	9	145	10	147	125 0	0106 0110
6	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #3	2 512500	2400000	01	53	9	145	10	147	125 0	0106 0110
7	HESS TEST HOLE	2 532000	2418200	05	68	23	294	37 08	503	430 0E	0170 0215
8	HESS TEST HOLE	2 532000	2418200	05	68	23	294	37 08	503	430 0E	0170 0215
9	HOLLY FARMS POULTRY-4	2 579000	2449500	12	67	23	330	35 08 06	195	19 0E	0132 0140
10	HOLLY FARMS POULTRY-3	2 579000	2449500	11	67	26	320	40 08 06	167	42 0E	0214 0222
11	HOLLY FARMS POULTRY-2	2 579000	2449500	11	67	25	295	40 08 06	250	89 0E	0138 0146
12	HOLLY FARMS POULTRY-1	2 579000	2449500	05	66	25	307	40 18 06	254	65 0E	0216 0224
13	TOWN OF BARKSLEY #2	2 540500	2423100	06	46	13	74	08 06	165	47 0	0045 0044
14	TOWN OF BARKSLEY	2 540500	2423100	06	46	13	74	08 06	165	47 0	0045 0044
15	MESA	2 563400	2871400	10	66	240		08 06	26	115 0	0125 0140
16	MESA	2 563400	2871400	10	66	240		08 06	26	115 0	0125 0140
17	MESA	2 563400	2871400	10	66	240		08 06	26	115 0	0125 0140
18	MESA	2 563400	2871400	10	66	240		08 06	26	115 0	0125 0140
19	MESA	2 563400	2871400	10	66	240		08 06	26	115 0	0125 0140
20	DEBOUT FOODS INC #4	2 522200	2421000	03	70	30	350	18	99	39 0	0131 0141
21	DEBOUT FOODS INC	2 517200	2797600	12	69	7	190	02		0	0097 0107
22	DEBOUT FOODS INC	2 517200	2797600	12	69	7	190	02		0	0097 0107
23	DEBOUT FOODS INC #3	2 252400	2823240	03	70	22	300	70	150 0E	0161 0181	120-A
24	DEBOUT FOODS INC	2 252400	2823240	03	70	22	300	70	150 0E	0161 0181	120-A
25	DEBOUT FOODS INC	2 252400	2823240	03	70	22	300	70	150 0E	0161 0181	120-A
26	DEBOUT FOODS INC #2	2 524070	2423200	04	70	23	325	10 08 06	162	51 0E	0204 0240
27	DEBOUT FOODS INC #1	2 517740	2797560	12	69	6	350	22 08 06	162	51 0E	0097 0107
28	TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE #4	2 520000	2423200	06	51	14	262	08	300	101 0	0217 0245
29	DEBOUT FOODS INC #3	2 525000	2423200	07	70	26	325	10 08 06	503	90 0	0202 0238
30	DEBOUT FOODS INC #1	2 525000	2423200	07	70	26	325	10 08 06	503	90 0	0202 0238
31	FIRST CHARTERED LAND CO	2 525000	2423200	07	70	26	325	10 08 06	503	90 0	0202 0238
32	TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE #5	2 519050	2417500	11	61	285	40 03	16 08	118	74 0	0223 0256
33	VA DEPT OF HIGHWAYS	2 525000	2423000	04	70	22	295	44 06	35	6	0275 0295
34	MARY SMITH HIGH SCH	2 517020	2418300	3	68	30	295	44 06	35	6	0275 0295
35	ACCOMMODATION										

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		7 NORTH	EAST	MO	YR	LSO (FT)	DIA	YIELD DRON	FROM TO	FROM TO	
100	ACCOMACK										
36	TOWN OF ONANCOCK	2 512580	2797650								121-A
37	TOWN OF ONANCOCK	2 514110	2795300								121-A
38	TOWN OF ONANCOCK	2 514120	2795360	06	71	183					
39	FIRST CHARTER LAND CO			6	71	22	410	06	93	252 D 0255 0270	
	CAPTAINS COVE										
40	WALKER SCHOOL	2 515480	2816220	10	64	6	45	02	30	14	120-B
41	ACCOMACK NURSING HOME	2 531750	2811500	5	69	19	142	06	40	21 D	142-B
42	ACME SUPERMARKET	2 504800	2804340	07	69	21	190	06	40	0170 0190	
43	MADUHL KILLMAN	2 510360	2793150	2	69	5	176	15	40	10 D	
44	AMIE WASON	2 493500	2771900	3	69	163	7	02	50	15 D	
45	MARY BARNES	2 524150	2814100	3	69	33	245	42	18	22 D	
46	JOHN A DAVIS	2 493560	2816950	5	69	210	7	02	33	21 D	
47	CLAREMCE COUNTRY	2 503700	2805440	5	69	1	92	02	35	37 D	
48	ONIE SWIMMING POOL	2 516050	2817820	6	69	19	187	42	20	19 D	120-B
49	DOEIRYVILLE PRINCE	2 505400	2804250	6	69	21	142	42	20	18 D	
50	JACK WASON	2 529850	2804680	6	69	27	195	46	33	29 D	
51	DAVID NORTHON	2 515050	2810650	6	69	22	141	45	20	33 D	
52	JOE DAVIS	2 531210	2814100						15	38 D	
53	WILLIAM TURNER	2 509550	2824800	6	69	9	147	16	23	19 D	
54	RYDD PACKING CO								18	24 D	
55	FLOYD BIDDLE								28	12 D	
56	CHANDLER								18	25 D	
57	WAGNER KILLMAN								33	32 D	
58	CLIFTON GREENE								37	32 D	
59	B YONG								20	15 D	
60	PAUL WEAVER								18	28 D	
61	DETE PER								20	33 D	
62	VALENTINE								20	14 D	
63	JACK MALES								25	15 D	120-B
64	LEWIS BROTHERS								20	22 D	
65	BENJAMIN F GINTER								30	47	
66	JOHN THOMPSON TRAILER CT								25	8 D	
67	S Y CAMPBELL								50	12 D	
68	CHARLES AGUE								40	15 D	
69	VON DESEEL								33	12 D	
70	DORETT WHITE								33	12 D	
71	CHARLES CHANDLER								20	19 D	
72	FRANKLIN L DAVIS								28	11 D	
73	WILLIAM JUSTICE								22	18 D	
74	JOE KELLAM								28	11 D	
75	DONALD MEARS								22	18 D	
76	EDWARD WATKINSON								30	10 D	
77	JAMES MARTIN								30	10 D	
78	JOHN A JOHNSON SR								30	10 D	

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		7 NORTH EAST	MO YR	LSO (FT)			DIA	YIELD	DRON	FROM TO	FROM TO	FROM TO
100	20000000											
70	ROBERT F. CARD	2 494540 2772430	5 70	4	140	02	02	18	15	0		
80	WETEN BACH		6 70		165	7 02	02	50	10	0		
91	BALPH JENKINS		7 70		165	02	02	50	12	0		
92	JOHN KATHEMAN		5 70	16	205	02	02	22	25	0		
93	WADY SELBY	2 492350 2816210	5 70	25	217	6 02	02	15	25	0		
94	SHORE POLICE INC		5 71		172	02	02	50	15	0		
95	JOE KIGHT	2 492000 2817430	6 70	3	218	9 02	02	17	19	0		
96	BILL MATSON	2 505900 2804020	6 70	23	193	44 02	02	17	20	0		
97	DAVE BEESELS	2 522760 2815420	5 70	19	172	45 02	02	20	26	0		
98	ROCKAWAY CO BUS SHOP	2 532050 2831100	5 70	23	144	36 02	02	35	30	0		
99	WJJO FOUNSON JR	2 532500 2807730	7 70	4	128	11 02	02	27	16	0		
99	DAEEL		7 70	22	182	02	02	30	8	0		
91	GEORGE HUNSON	2 530400 2805440	7 70	4	138	12 02	02	33	8	0		
92	ABC STORE		7 70	21	177	02	02	40	25	0		
93	C F SWELL		7 70	30	162	02	02	17	31	0		
94	FACTORY SHOP SCARFORD	2 527450 2804400	4 70	4	182	15 02	02	23	16	0		142-C
95	MATTHEW WILLIAMS		8 70	19	230	02	02	30	21	0		
96	L FLOYD LOCK		8 70	6	142	02	02	20	22	0		
97	LELAND FLYSTETTER	2 529000 2791200	8 70	3	102	02	02	27	12	0		143-0
98	ROBERT FINLEY		8 70	14	178	02	02	17	14	0		
99	DAVID DILLIPS		8 70	19	160	02	02	15	16	0		
100	ROBERT TAYLOR	2 538000 2814000	9 70	9	235	18 02	02	22	13	0	0225 0235	142-C
101	ROBERT HORNWELL	2 513200 2809150	9 70	20	165	38 02	02	30	12	0		
102	ALAN BOWELL		9 70	15	140	02	02	25	10	0		
103	GERALD FRANCIS		9 70	8	110	10 02	02	33	12	0		
104	LEWIS FIDGES	2 510950 2789800	9 70	5	80	02	02	35	16	0		
105	SARAH KAPAPORI		9 70	28	207	04 02	02	17	57	0		
106	WELLS LEWIS		9 70	19	180	02	02	21	19	0		
107	DAVE A STUBB		9 70	23	150	02	02	15	37	0		
108	RICHARD YOUNG	2 251420 2788100	10 70	5	110	7 02	02	25	15	0		
109	PAUL JACOB WHITE	2 505150 2795150	10 70	105	17 02	23 15 0	02	23	15	0		121-A
110	ROBERT EDWARDS		10 70	16	130	02	02	40	12	0		
111	M O EVANS		10 70	3	120	6 02	02	22	15	0		
112	H D GANSON	2 519720 2784820	10 70	3	120	6 02	02	22	15	0		
113	CARLISLE V DIZE	2 494550 2772600	10 70	2	160	7 02	02	55	10	0		
114	JACK NELSON		10 70	3	162	02	02	40	20	0		
115	WENDE DIZE		10 70	4	101	02	02	30	16	0		
116	BARTIST PAPERMAN		10 70	28	296	02	02	17	30	0		
117	EDWARD RAYFIELD	2 529900 2804160	11 70	4	120	10 02	02	18	16	0		
118	O WASH		11 70	2	120	02	02	23	16	0		
119	BARTIST CHURCH		11 70	28	298	02	02	19	27	0		
120	EDWARD	2 527270 2789050	11 70	5	115	6 02	02	18	17	0		
121	GEORGE JUSTICE	2 523350 2785900	11 70	28	180	6 02	02	22	14	0		
122	CARLISLE BARRETS	2 523350 2785900	12 70	4	120	6 02	02	22	16	0		

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NO		7 NORTH	MO YR	LSO (FT)			DIA	YIELD DRON	FROM TO	FROM TO	
100	ACCOMACK										
123	JOHN S. RISE	2 524800 2760210	12 70	3 112		6 02		22	17 0		
124	CLIFF THOMAS	2 511550 2794700	1 71	4 92		15 02		22	18 0		
125	MRS. RICHARD HOLLERITH	2 519850 2818250	1 71	21 285		42 02		17	25 0		
126	ACCOMACK DRUG STORE	2 516000 2817930	1 71	22 152		44 02		35	23 0		
127	CHARLES O. GAINSTEAD	2 508700 2827500	2 71	20 155		8 02		25	8 0		
128	HENRY J. CALVER	2 528900 2803950	2 71	7 160		12 02		23	20 0		
129	FLETCHER F. WEL	2 526450 2814530	2 71	20 178		43 02		15	15 0		
130	ARIEL ASHBY	2 516600 2818400	2 71	9 155		42 02		25	11 0		
131	VIRGINIA SMULLEN	2 536220 2814100	3 71	22 182		24 02		25	16 0		
132	DAVID N. EVANS, YOUNG										
133	VIRGINIA HEATCH	2 525500 2815000	4 71	22 170		42 02		22	30 0		
134	JOHN E. RICE	2 520600 2794900	4 71	37 295		42 02		15	33 0		
135	JOSEPH KICFK	2 508400 2793240	4 71	7 170		15 02		23	13 0		
136	RAYMOND WEARS	2 525620 2814750	4 71	21 180		40 02		15	17 0		
137	EDWARD WATKINSON	2 524000 2830450	05 71	4 212		26 02		22	16 0		
138	PERNIE WILSON	2 517020 2811600	5 71	18 168		40 02		28	25 0		
139	WILSON WATKINSON	2 507950 2805300	5 71	22 180		44 02		16	13 0		
140	JOE WILLIAMS										
141	JOSEPH WAPPS										
142	F. L. COOPER	2 441040 2816740	5 71	26 170		10 02		25	11 0		
143	FRED W. COLLIER	2 525250 2814630	5 71	4 128		61 02		23	12 0		
144	MARION KILLIAN										
145	ALBERT C. JOHNSON JR										
146	WORTH	2 519650 2799000	7 71	25 170		177 65 02		25	12		
147	ESTELLE KELLAN	2 545310 2818480	8 71	5 165		18 02		15	35 0		
148	EDNEY HART	2 504300 2820150	8 71	14 114		21 02		18	50 0		
149	PAUL F. JARVIS										
150	MICHAEL TAYLOR	2 532050 2811250	9 71	1 168		17 02		18	14 0		
151	JOHN F. TAYLOR										
152	BITTARD										
153	F. WEARS	2 506420 2805730	9 71	4 278		45 02		40	12 0		
154	JOHN R. DODDER	2 525600 2827880	9 71	170 33 02		40 10 0		15	15 0		
155	FRANK MICHAELS	2 506150 2803450	9 71	172 45 02		30 04 02		42	8 0		
156	JACK JOHNSON	2 501350 2793200	9 71	42 298		30 04 02		15	28 0		
157	CHARLES HOPES INC										
158	JOHN F. RIFE										
159	NORMAN JUSTICE										
160	WILLIAM L. COOPER	2 553100 2724500	1 69	1 90		04 02		20	19 0		
161	TANGIER CRAB CO										
162	JOHN F. RIFE										
163	VA DEPT OF HIGHWAYS										
164	CHINCOTIFAGUE AIR STA										

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								FROM TO	FROM TO	FROM TO
100	ACCOUNTY									
145	FRIST CHARTER LAND CO CASTLE'S COVE SUM		04 72 11	155	06	180	150	0257 0272		141-A
146	CHESTER PETIT JR		68 24	172						
147	BROOKS SMITH		68 27 290							
148	PARSONS		68 29 298							
149	EVELYN WHITE		68 20 150							
170	EDGAR THOMAS		68 25 190							
171	FOREST JOHNSON		68 120							
172	FITCHETT		68 7 212							
173	WALTER OIX		68 26 160							
174	ALGER BYRES		68 21 178							
175	SITCHELL		68 35 292							
176	GRACE POWERS INC		68 12 182							
177	BROOKS JOHNSON		68 18 173							
178	FISHERS COOPER									
179	WADDE A STOFFER		68 24 186							
170	LOUISE DUNTON		68 9 140							
171	W LLOYD		68 9 165							
172	JOE RUDY		68 28 285							
173	ROBERTSON		68 216							
174	MATE WILFITT		68 4 238							
175	ANNA MCSHEAN	2.548500.2825100.00	68 10 128							142-C
176	FOREST BARNES		68 29 306							
177	FLOYD MOORE III		68 21 143							
178	NEW GALE		68 21 163							
179	GEORGE S PARKS		68 120 160							
180	CHARLES A PARKS		68 2 170							
181	LEVIN LEVIS		68 2 160							
182	W MARTIN		68 165							
183	ROBERT WOOD		68 1 160							
184	ALBERT C JOHNSON		68 12 76							
185	BROOK FORDS INC #4		07 72 70 331	41 02	302	109 30		0218 0244 0260 0304		120-B
186	HOLLY FARME POULTRY#5		04 68 60 365	35 18 08	200	50		0226 0234 0270 0285		142-A
187	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		07 53 14 64	18 06	50			0045 0055		
188	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		05 53 15 228	08	137			0140 0145 0205 0225		
189	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		07 63 14 55	06	50	14		0040 0050		
190	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		08 45 24 54	33 04		16		0044 0054		
191	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		10 47 24 60	23 08	60	34		0030 0035 0050 0055		
192	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		07 53 18 183	6 06	18			0167 0177		
193	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		02 53 26 62	08	60			0047 0062		
194	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		04 47 14 45	08	100	30		0028 0033 0035 0040		
195	MASA WALLEPS ISLAND		08 46 46 120	33 08				0110 0120		

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40		7 NORTH EAST	MO YR	LSO (FT)			DIA	YIELD DRON	FROM TO	FROM TO	
100	ACCOMMODATION										
287	NEO MORATH	2 504500 2804200		22	180	45 02		36	7	0170 0180	120-B
288	STANLEY LEWIS	2 204500 2804000		20	195	45 02		20	25		120-B
289	DAVE VESSELS	2 525000 2817000		16	174	42 02		20	16	0164 0174	120-B
290	JOE SPANARD	2 524400 2816500		17	168	43 02		10	24	0158 0168	120-B
291	JOHN WILLIAM CONQUEST	2 567900 2843000		34	245	46 04		50	36	0225 0245	142-D
292	BILL JORDON	2 571500 2843500		11	220	47 02		20		0210 0220	142-D
293	WESLEY HALL	2 584400 2841700		10	190	23 02		16	42	0170 0180	142-A
294	FRANKLIN SHORE ACACEM	2 574500 2841000		17	277	23 02		25	30	0257 0277	142-A
295	EDDIE PLAMIER	2 592300 2854200		40	67	47 04		20	30	0210 0215	142-A
296	JOHN BOOTH	2 573300 2849500		40	67	47 04		60	18	052 67	142-D
297	FLANNON TAYLOR	2 581000 2851000		38	140	42 02		20	24		142-A
298	JOHN COUTER	2 580000 2851000		3	238	42 02		16	18	0228 0238	142-A
299	CLARENCE WRIGHT	2 582300 2852000		9	240	34 02		20	17	0235 0240	142-A
300	A J GRAY & SON	2 582500 2849000		11	60	40 02		25	15	050 60	142-A
301	A J GRAY JR HOG EARM	2 582500 2847000			280	40 02		50	50	0200 0230 0270 0280	142-A
302	ELCIE VANDS	2 579400 2851300 12 54		2	235	92 02		22	22	0222 0235	142-A
303	BARTON COPPER	2 592100 2850500		2	235	38 02		10	22	0225 0235	142-A
304	JOHN LEWIS	2 581000 2851000			240	42 02		20	27	0230 0240	142-A
305	S W HALL	2 504900 2742000			178	13 02		23	7	0168 0178	121-A
306	JOHN WINE	2 528300 2805000			139	12 02		50	23		120-H
307	DEBBIE ELLIS	2 575300 2850500		21	212	8 02		11		0202 0212	142-D
308	POSITIONS TRUCKING CO	2 584200 2857000			180	02		19	49	0170 0180	142-A
309	WILLIAM POWLSON	2 575000 2840000		220	18 02			18	23	0210 0220	142-A
310	SELENT	2 540000 2820000		17	155	32 02		21	9	0145 0153	142-C
311	BILL WHITE	2 540000 2820000		12	150	32		25	40	0140 0150	142-C
312	JOE DEW	2 539000 2814500		26	45	33		23	10	040 45	142-C
313	WESLEY HALL	2 549000 2815000		2	240	7 02		21	23		142-C
314	WESLEY HALL	2 501900 2745000		6	120	10		21	14	0110 0120	121-A
315	WILLIAM WESLEY	2 505700 2819200		13	113	24 02		21	13	0103 0113	120-B
316	WILLIAM WESLEY	2 507000 2815000		32	40	41 02		20	8	033 40	120-B
317	T & W SPANARD										

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165	NORTHAMPTON								
1	NORTHAM-ACCOMAC HOSPI		2 69	21 375	08 06	175	118 D	0160 0170 0210 0230 0271 0286	93-A
2	WACHIPONGO HIGH SCH		9 53	25 365	06	60	170 D	0296 0301	93-B
3	WACHIPONGO HIGH SCH		7 53	104	03		E		93-B
4	CAPEVILLE ELEM SCHOOL		7 53	441					93-B
5	EXMORE FOODS #7		02 67	26 260	08 06	300	70 D	0142 0157 0188 0218	121-D
6	UNITED FOODS, DULANY		41 30	304	08 06	260	120 D	0209 0215 0277 0285	121-D
7	CAPE CHARLES A F STA		8 60	3 93	06	11	33 D	0036 0046	63-B
8	CAPE CHARLES A F STA		08 60	4 152	06	14	D	0119 0129	63-B
9	TOWN OF EXMORE		11 54	85			D		
10	CAPE CHARLES A F STA		11 54	65			D		
11	CAPE CHARLES A F STA		11 54	58			D		
12	CAPE CHARLES A F STA		10 58	10 65	06	35	15 D	0051 0061	63-B
13	TOWN OF EXMORE #2		04 65	28 229	20 08	285	72 D	0150 0212	121-D
14	TOWN OF EXMORE #1		1 452200	2776500	06 50	34	200	0160 0190	121-D
15	TOWN OF EXMORE #1		10 24	150	03 02	25	D	0130 0140	63-B
16	NORF HETTE		2 53	15 140			D	0093 0098 0152 0157 0245 0270	63-B
17	LONG H. GORF INGN		06 66	300			DE	0097 0102 0175 0195 0246 0251	
18	PHILLIP CURTIS		9 66	309				0295 0300	
19	VA AGRICULTURAL PROD								
20	TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES		5 38	210			D		
21	WEBSTER CANNING CO		4 37	280			D		93-C
22	WEBSTER CANNING CO		03 47	295			D		93-C
23	WEBSTER CANNING CO		5 56	370			D		93-C
24	WEBSTER CANNING CO		10 52	21 321	18 06	121	D		93-A
25	NORTHAM-ACCOMAC HOSPI		2 70	27 320	20 06	100	15 D		93-C
26	TOWN OF EASTVILLE			110	08			0200 0205 0240 0255	
27	CAPEPOYSTON CPGPOIND			80	10				
28	TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES		03 71	32 280	18 06	307	75 D	0130 0155 0180 0203 0212 0217 121-D	94-D
29	EXMORE FOODS #5		52 21	138	30 04		D		93-C
30	TOWN OF EASTVILLE		19 111	30 06			D		93-C
31	TOWN OF EASTVILLE		30	95					121-D
32	J C VOLKER BROTHERS								
33	EXMORE FOODS #1			29					

APPENDIX C

Groundwater Chemical Quality Data

The following table contains chemical quality data on groundwater in the Eastern Shore Peninsula. Well numbers on this table can be cross-referenced to Appendix B to determine the location and construction of the wells from which quality samples were taken. The data listed in Appendix C include:

- State Water Control Board No.
- Owner and or Location of the Well
- Date Sampled
- Depth of well
- Screen Depths in well
- Number (DWR No.)
- The date the water sample was taken
- The following chemical constituents in milligrams per liter (mg/l):
 - Iron (Fe)
 - Calcium (Ca)
 - Magnesium (Mg)
 - Copper (Cu)
 - Lead (Pb)
 - Manganese (Mn)
 - Sodium (Na)
 - Potassium (K)
 - Bicarbonate (HCO_3)
 - Alkalinity
 - Sulfate (SO_4)
 - Fluoride (F)
 - Chloride (Cl)
 - Nitrate (NO_3)
 - Total Hardness
 - Ca, Mg Hardness
 - Total Solids
 - Volatile/Fixed Solids
 - Dissolved Solids
 - Specific Conductivity
 - pH
 - TOC

The data in Appendix C is a composite listing of water samples taken by the State Water Control Board and by other governmental agencies. Additional hardness, chloride, total solids, and specific conductivity data can be found in Appendix D.

SVC: OWNER AND/	DATE WELL SCREEN	NO. OR PLACE SAMPLED	DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO ₃	ALKALINITY	SO ₄	F	CL	NO ₃	TOTAL HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL VOLATILE/ DISSOLVED	SPEC SOLIDS	COND. PH.	TOC
AND JACK COUNTY - Continued																							
100-																							
2	9/21/71			.01	24	8.1	-	-	-	22	7.2	154	-	2.2	.2	10	2.4	94	94	165	-	290	7.5
2	12/71			.01	25	7.2	-	-	-	24	6.3	168	-	2.6	.0	11	0.0	92	92	183	-	310	7.6
2	1/4/72			.11	25	7.0	-	-	-	23	6.8	164	-	1.4	.2	11	0.0	92	92	177	-	290	7.8
2	3/3/72			.10	23	8.0	-	-	-	22	6.9	162	-	2.4	.2	9.6	0.2	90	90	172	-	270	7.7
2	6/9/72			.09	23	7.2	-	-	-	25	6.6	162	-	1.2	.1	9.2	0.1	87	87	183	-	300	7.3
2	12/10/74			.1	30	8.1	-	-	.01	19	6.1	-	83	1.6	-	-	.01	94	-	181	35/146	151	7.4
3	Gulf Stream 2/29/68	304	174-194	.3	19	7.3	-	-	-	101	-	227	-	2.9	.1	62	.2	78	78	340	-	-	8.5
	Nursery		204-224																				
	Nachapreague		252-267																				
4	Town of 1/14/58	165	106-156	.08	28	7.4	-	-	-	21	-	168	-	5.1	.8	17	-	99	99	193	-	-	7.4
4																							
6	Byrd Pack- 12/9/74	294	170-215	1.3	40	9.7	-	-	.02	15	5.2	-	126	2.6	.1	-	.01	92	-	209	38/171	208	7.5
	Parksley		236-266																				
9	Holly Farms 12/18/67	330	132-140	.5	32	8.7	-	-	-	14	-	156	-	4.0	.1	-	.03	112	-	200	48/152	195	8.0
	No. 4		156-170																				
	Temperanceville		196-208																				
9	8/5/69			.05	30	13.6	.028	-	.01	18	5.2	-	118	2.6	.34	12.3	.4	109	-	-	/152	-	7.4

WELL OWNER AND/ NO	DATE SAMPLED	WELL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO ₃	LINEITY	SO ₄	F	CL	NO ₃	TOTAL HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL SOLIDS	FIXED SOLIDS	DISSOLVED SOLIDS	COND. PH	POC	
ACKOMACK COUNTY - Continued																									
10	Holly Farms No. 3	12/13/67	320	138-146 158-172 200-212	5	34	9.2	-	-	-	14	-	164	-	2.1	.1	13.0	.4	136	123	194	-	-	-	6.9
10		3/22/68		25	33	5.8	-	-	.01	9.2	1.3	-	123	1.5	.15	8.5	.04	-	-	288	180/108	-	-	-	7.7
11	Holly Farms No. 2	12/4/67	295	138-146 157-171 200-212	1.1	44	9.1	-	-	-	18.8	-	207	-	1.6	.8	14.0	.6	153	149	238	-	-	-	7.4
13	Town of Parksley #2	4/22/60	75	45-64	.06	13	7.4	-	-	-	18.7	-	18	-	58	.1	22.0	.40	105	65	180	-	-	-	5.7
13		12/9/74			.1	15	8.7	-	-	.16	14.3	3.3	-	10	40	.1	-	8.5	66	-	174	34/140	170	-	5.0
14	Town of Parksley #3	4/22/60	90	45-78	1.49	18	9.4	-	-	-	10.6	-	32	-	29	.1	37	13.6	142	84	209	-	-	-	5.8
14		1/5/64			.01	11	7.0	-	-	-	10.7	-	12	-	43	.1	22	22.2	103	56	160	-	-	-	5.8
20	Perdue #4A Accomac	3/15/72	350	131-141 151-161 176-186 233-243 266-276	.15	29	2	-	-	-	7.5	1.5	100	-	6.4	.1	11	.1	80	80	135	-	-	205	7.7
20		12/11/74			.1	31	5	-	-	.01	.21	4.5	-	103	1.2	.1	29	.01	86	-	-	-	14.7	-	7.6
26	Perdue Foods #2	9/21/71	325	204-240 256-292	.02	21	9.8	-	-	-	22	10	134	-	1.8	.2	26	1.0	93	93	170	-	-	300	7.6

SANDS OWNER AND/ NO	DATE SAMPLED	WELL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO3	ALKALINITY	SO4	F	CL	NO3	TOTAL			COND. PH.	TOC		
																		HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL VOLATILE/DISSOLVED SPEC				
ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued																								
100-																								
40	P. C. Walker	9/28/71	45	.05	21	10	-	-	-	10	14	144	-	1.4	.1	9	1.9	94	94	157	-	288		
	Comb. School																							
42	Acme Super-	9/28/71	180	.04	25	8	-	-	-	13	7	142	-	2.0	.1	9	0.0	96	96	158	-	280		
	market, Onley																							
143	Beffer	7/71	177	.1	24	12	-	-	.01	56	12	-	139	1.2	.2	69	.2	104	-	-	261	-	7.7	
	Accomack																							
161	Tangier Crab	6/69	991	-	2	.4	-	-	-	290	12	534	-	58	2.9	115	1.5	6	6	784	-	1319		
	Company																							
161		6/72		.02	2	.7	-	-	-	310	8	511	-	61	2.4	130	1.9	8	8	805	-	1400		
	Town of																							
182	Onley	3/72	190	.24	32	6	-	-	-	27	10	185	-	1	.2	10	.6	100	100	-	-	340		
196	Holly Farms	9/11/69	365	.1	29	17.7	.15	-	.001	25	3	-	119	2			.04	99	-	-	-	7.4		
	#5																							
195		3/25/75		-	-	-							115	1.3	.14	7		106	-	172	54/118	166	-	7.3
211	Town of	9/48	210	.07	24	9	-	-	-	34	-	168		6.5	.1	15	2.9	95	95	203	-	-	7.9	-
	Onancock																							
265	Town of	12/48	40	.10	28	2	-	-	-	-	-	104	-	11	.0	19	0.2	78	78	156	-	-	7.5	-
	Chincoteague																							
265		8/2/73		.16	26	2	.01	.03	-	-	.89	-	11	13	.10	29	-	28	28	156	-	-	130	5.6

WELL NAME AND/ OR ON PLACE	DATE SAMPLED	WELL SCREEN DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO ₃	ALKA- LITY	SO ₄	F	CL	NO ₃	TOTAL HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL VOLATILE/ DISSOLVED SPEC SOLIDS	COND. PH. DOC			
ALOKA COUNTY - Continued																							
213	Top of Trigler #1	3/3/66	915	900-915	.25	4.6	.2	-	-	-	-	521	-	13	2.8	1.5	3	12	12	808	-	8.6	
214	Top of Trigler #2	3/3/66	1033	1012-1027	.46	3.2	.4	-	-	-	-	515	-	22	2.5	2.0	6	9	9	783	-	8.6	
215	Top of McShapreague	9/7/48	385		.14	6	4	-	-	180	-	346	-	5	.7	.93	.8	29	29	482	-	8.1	
216	New Church Rest Stop	3/67	132	120-130	.28	26	12	-	-	.16	-	174	-	1	.3	12	1.2	-	113	113	-	8.3	
217	U.S. Coast Guard Pettkin Inlet	3/15/72	320		.02	26	32	-	-	2100	65	1270	-	29	.3	2600	5	200	200	5730	-	9530 7.5	
218	Greenbrier Development	9/2/73	310	150-170	.22	143	23	4.01	2.03	-	14	186	-	.5	.11	16	.03	166	-	232	-	7.7	
217	H. V. Drewes #1	3/25/75	195	185-195	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	347	40	.13	.44	-	330	-	1235	98/1137	1231	7.8 7
218	H. V. Drewes #2	3/25/75	115	85-115	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	270	18	.1	.65	-	334	-	513	112/401	498	7.4 8
219	Virginia Truck Exp. Station Pantry	3/25/75	167	147-167	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	105	-	-	10	-	78	-	176	-	7.7	

SINK OWNER AND/	WELL	SCREEN	DATE	DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO ₃	ALKA- LIMINITY	SO ₄	F	CL	NO ₃	HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL HARDNESS	SOLIDS, FIXED	TOTAL VOLATILE/DISSOLVED SPEC SOLIDS	COND. PH. TOC		
																									NO. 1	OR PLACE
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY																										
165-																										
1	1	Northampton- Hoscomack Hospital	2/20/69	375	160-170 218-238 271-286	.08	24	10.3	-	-	16	-	142	-	.8	1.0	15	.3	102	102	158	-	-	-	8.0	
1	1	N. Swadlow	11/12/74		.1	26	-	.07	.01	-	-	-	-	114	-	.15	20	-	106	-	231	0/231	227	-	7.4	
2	2	Michipango High School	11/1/74	365	211-221 248-259 291-302	.2	36	-	.21	.01	-	-	-	96	-	.11	15	-	102	-	165	43/122	165	-	7.9	
4	4	Capeville Elementary School	11/1/74	461		.4	47	-	.2	.01	.01	-	-	118	-	.4	1	17	-	118	-	219	65/154	219	-	7.6
5	5	Emore Foods 47	3/6/67	240	142-157 188-218	.1	38	8	-	-	37	-	190	-	.4	.0	30	.0	118	118	231	-	-	-	8.2	
7	7	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	93	36-46	1.8	37	5.0	-	-	.1	15	.9	68	25	.01	27	-	96	-	251	-	235	-	7.0	
11	11	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	65		.4	33	2.1	-	-	.06	-	-	71	9.2	-	26	.01	82	-	163	70/93	143	-	7.3	
12	12	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	58		1.1	30	2.7	-	-	.08	14	1.1	61	13.8	.01	23	.03	74	-	146	65/81	136	-	7.0	
13	13	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	65		1.8	51	5.0	-	-	.1	15	.9	114	-	.4	1	31	.01	142	-	243	-	-	7.5	

S.W.C.B. NUMBER AND/ OR PLACE	DATE SAMPLED	WELL SCREEN DEPTH	FE	CA	MG	CU	PB	MN	NA	K	HCO ₃	ALMA-LINITY	SO ₄	F	CL	NO ₃	TOTAL HARDNESS	CA, MG	TOTAL VOLATILE/ DISSOLVED SOLIDS	COND. PH.	TCC	
NORTHINGTON COUNTY - Continued																						
165-																						
25	Northampton Hospital	4/12/74 321	.6	43	-	.14	.01	-	-	-	-	97	-	4.1	16	-	122	-	200	0/200	197	- 7.4
27	Cherrystone Campground	11/1/74 310	200-205 240-255	41	32	-	.02	.01	-	-	-	140	-	.27	205	-	166	-	648	130/518	645	- 8.6
28	Town of Cape Charles	9/69 80		45	3				17	2	129	-	28	.2	18	.0	124	18	204	-	-	328 7.9
28		10/72		.07	51	3			20	2	138		37	.2	23	.0	167	140	226	-	-	370 7.5
33	Emarre Foods #1	3/67 229	.3	41	10	-	-	-	152	-	220	-	.8	.0	208	.2	144	144	546	-	-	- 8.2
34	Emarre Foods #4	3/67	1.6	41	5	-	-	-	28	-	183	-	-	.0	24	.1	121	121	264	-	-	- 7.7
35	Emarre Foods #5	3/67 58	3.1	29	3	-	-	-	23	-	76	-	18	.0	41	.2	83	83	268	-	-	- 6.4
35		4/17/75										107	2.1	.18	25	-	122	-	186	23/163	182	- 7.4 6
36	Town of Eastville	7/48 146	.04	26	4	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	1	.1	17	.2	78	80	145	-	-	200 8.0
38	Town of Eastville	11/74 165	145-165	.1	29	-	.01	.01	-	12	.5	78	1.7	.41	17	-	82	-	-	-	-	- 7.2
45	C. D. Seafood & Oyster	4/75 185	165-185	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	105	1.1	.17	16	-	112	-	178	33/145	164	- 7.6 6

APPENDIX D

Data From Special Chloride Survey

The following table contains specific chemical quality data from a special groundwater quality survey conducted during February, 1975, by the SWCB's Tidewater Regional Office. The purpose of the study was to determine irregularities in chemical quality with emphasis on chloride distribution. Additional data from Appendix C was included for easy reference. The data included in Appendix D include:

- State Water Control Board Well Number
- Owner and or location of well
- The date the water was sampled
- Total depth of well
- Screen depths in well
- Hardness
- Chloride
- Total Solids
- Specific Conductivity
- Nitrates

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCOMACK COUNTY								
1	Town of Parksley #1	4/22/60	200	129-160	88	7	123	-	0.0
1		1/5/72			103	24	139	230	26
1		3/7/72			56	24	147	235	28
1		6/1/72			96	20	139	240	26
1		12/9/74			82	-	151	-	.03
1		2/24/75			76	7	132	190	-
2	Town of Onancock #2	7/69	282	108-123 130-145 160-188	100	10	190	288	.6
2		7/70			96	10	192	255	.3
2		1/4/72			92	11	177	290	.0
3	Gulf Stream Nursery Wachapreague	12/24/68	304	174-194 204-224 252-267	78	62	340	-	.2
4	Town of Onancock #1	1/14/58	165	106-156	99	17	209	-	.01

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
ACCONACK COUNTY - Continued									
100-									
4		2/75			94	10	182	255	-
6	Byrd Packing No. 1 Parksley	12/9/74	294	170-215 236-266	112	-	200	-	.03
9	Holly Farms #4 Temperanceville	12/18/67	330	132-140 156-170 196-208	127	2	181	-	.4
9		8/5/69			109	13	-	-	.4
9		2/75			102	9	159	220	-
10	Holly Farms #3	12/13/67	320	138-146 158-172 200-212	136	13	194	-	.4
10		3/22/68			-	9	288	-	.04
10		2/75			102	11	175	259	-
11	Holly Farms #2	12/4/67	295	138-146 157-171 200-212	153	14	238	-	.6

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued								
11		2/2/75			152	2	199	290	-
12	Holly Farms #1	2/22/75	307	134-149 150-173 205-215	146	10	222	334	-
13	Town of Parksley #2	4/22/60	75	45-64	105	22	180	-	40
13		12/9/74			66	-	174	-	9
14	Town of Parksley #3	2/22/60	90	45-78	142	37	209	-	13.6
14		1/5/64			103	22	160	-	22.2
14		2/24/75			60	41	149	250	-
20	Perdue #4A Accomac	3/15/72	350	131-141 151-161 176-186 233-243 266-276	80	11	135	205	.1
20		12/11/74			86	29	-	-	.01
20		2/20/75			90	31	198	310	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-26	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued Perdue Foods #2	Continued 9/21/71	325	204-240 256-292	93	26	170	300	1.0
26		12/11/74			92	23	-	-	.1
26		2/2/75			96	23	174	290	-
28	Town of Chincoteague	2/65	262	217-245	163	62	304	-	.1
28		7/70			150	64	319	519	.7
28		6/1/72			150	65	318	590	4.6
28		2/27/75			146	56	295	519	-
29	Perdue Foods #3	7/22/70	325	202-238 258-294	96	44	202	-	.2
29		3/72			98	23	170	280	.1
29		12/11/74			98	31	-	-	.01
29		2/20/75			104	30	192	320	-
30	Perdue Foods #1	6/22/70	330	204-238 256-288 298-304	136	48	228	-	.2

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued									
100-									
41	Accomack Co. Nursing Accomac	2/20/75	142	-	114	12	222	320	-
42	Acme Supermarket Onley	9/28/71	180	170-180	96	9	158	280	0.0
94	Eastern Shore Seafood Leemont	2/26/75	182	-	94	8	169	260	-
97	Hemstettler Chesconnessex	2/26/75	102	-	102	13	225	335	-
109	Dr. White Onancock	2/24/75	110	-	32.6	109.0	242.8	420.0	-
137	Watkinson Locustville	2/20/75	212	-	92	10	179	290	-
145	Peffer Accomac	7/71	177	167-177	104	69	-	-	.2
161	Tangier Crab Company	6/69	991	971-986	6	115	784	1319	1.5
161		6/72			8	130	805	1400	1.9

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued								
162	Town of Onley	3/72	190	170-190	100	10	-	340	.6
183	Willet Leemont	2/24/75	238	-	114	38	244	380	-
195	Perdue #4	2/20/75	331	218-244 260-304	104	71	293	500	-
196	Holly Farms #5	2/27/75	365	130-138 152-166 196-204 214-222 226-234 270-285	94	11	165	239	-
211	Town of Onancock	9/48	210		95	15	203	-	2.9
265	Town of Chincoteague	12/48	40		78	19	156	-	.2
265		8/2/73			28	29	-	130	-
265		2/27/75			74	31	161	263	-
213	Town of Tangier #1	3/3/66	915	900-915	12	1.5	808	-	3.0

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued								
214	Town of Tangier #2	3/3/66	1033	1012-1027	9	2.0	783	-	6.0
215	Town of Wachapreague	9/7/48	385	-	29	93	482	-	0.8
215		2/20/75			30	90	458	760	-
216	New Church Rest Stop	3/67	132	120-130	-	12	113	-	1.2
217	USCG Metomkin Inlet	3/15/72	320	-	200	2600	5073	9580	5.0
218	Greenbriar Development Greenbackville	9/2/73	310	150-170	166	16	232	-	.03
224	Wade Moore Melfa	2/21/75	194	155-165 184-194	208	14	232	380	-
225	W. A. Coard Accomac	2/25/75	155	145-155	110	8	181	240	-
227	Archie Cropper Accomac	2/24/75	160	-	100	12	198	270	-
228	Walter Marks Accomac	2/24/75	298	226-246	82	1	212	260	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCONACK COUNTY - Continued								
229	J. W. Taylor Packing Co. (Comb. 2 wells) Hallwood	2/26/75	246	226-246	84	16	157	230	-
231	Baldwin Jenkins Bridge	2/28/75	140	135-140	96	21	212	360	-
233	Justice Horntown	2/75	165	150-160	66	27	157	240	-
234	Thornton Jr. Atlantic	2/75	300	285-300	112	11	185	331	-
235	Bishop Bloxom	2/26/75	157	147-157	94	11	155	199	-
236	Thomas J. Pinkine Modestown	2/75	220	-	96	10	153	210	-
237	H. V. Drewer Deep Saxis	2/75	195	185-195	338	430	1188	1850	-
237		3/75	195	185-195	330	44	1235	-	-
238	H. V. Drewer Shallow Saxis	2/75	115	85-115	276	66	485	710	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
238	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued	3/75			334	65	513	-	-
239	Keith Miles Cashville	2/75	100	90-100	150	31	226	360	-
240	Campbell Keller	2/75	265	-	268	54	408	640	-
241	Miles, Kenneth Cashville	2/75	105	95-105	142	15	212	310	-
242	Tiernam Pungoteague	2/75	165	150-160	58	11	118	170	-
243	Panton Painter	2/75	90	80-90	126	18	243	340	-
244	Holden Jenkins Bridge	2/75	220	212-220	204	960	1966	3510	-
245	E. S. Community College, Melfa	2/75	290	-	180	7	222	390	-
248	Fisher Osyter Company Sanford	2/75	140	100-140	204	87	380	614	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
100-	ACCOMACK COUNTY - Continued								
249	Virginia Truck Exper. Sta. Painter	2/75	167	147-167	88	13	167	230	-
249		3/75			78	10	176	-	-
250	Groton Craddockville	2/75	175	165-175	88	15	187	260	-
251	Atkinson-Stauffer Bellhaven	2/75	208	198-208	100	13	214	340	-
252	Mapp, Quinby	2/75	210	-	88	45	305	460	-
253	Lyda, Olney	2/75	180	170-180	96	14	156	220	-
254	Taylor Wachapreague	2/75	130	-	130	14	224	330	-
255	Lankford Bloxom	2/75	265	-	84	10	145	221	-
256	Sterling	2/75	163	153-163	98	11	132	220	-
257	Huber, Harborton	2/75	165	155-165	92	57	290	520	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
ACCOMACK COUNTY -		Continued							
100-									
258	Kelly New Church	2/75	259	-	84	11	157	230	-
259	Metcalf Mappsville	2/75	255	-	94	12	193	270	-
260	Fred Hall Hallwood	2/75	265	-	106	8	156	260	-
	Town of Chincoteague (Shallow wells near Shann)	2/75	40	-	42	11	113	158	-
	Page Fisher Oak Hall	2/75	250		24	31	292	480	-
	Gardise Devil Parksley, Test Well	3/75	300	280-300	84	12	164	-	0.0
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY									
165-									
1	Northampton-Accomack Hospital Nassawadox	2/20/69	375	160-170 218-238 271-286 296-301	102	15	158	-	.3
1		11/12/74			106	20	106		-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
165-	NORTHAMPTON COUNTY	Continued							
2	Machipongo High School	11/1/74	365	211-221 248-259 291-302	102	15	165	-	-
4	Capeville Elementary School	11/1/74	461	no record	118	17	219	-	-
5	Exmore Foods #7	3/6/67	240	142-157 188-218	118	30	231	-	0.0
7	Cape Charles Air Force GATR Base	1/2/75	93	36-46	96	27	251	-	-
7		2/12/75			84	36	170	240	-
11	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	65	-	82	26	163	-	.01
12	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	58	-	74	23	146	-	.03
13	Cape Charles Air Force Base	1/2/75	65	-	142	31	243	-	.01
13	Cape Charles Air Force Base	2/12/75		-	144	32	263	360	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY - 165-		Continued							
14	Town of Exmore #2	6/2/65	228	150-212	91	17	347	-	.3
14		12/19/72			98	12	254	-	5.3
15	Town of Exmore #1	10/69	200	160-190	94	14	247	401	.7
15		1/70			99	15	260	442	4.5
15		2/18/75			122	14	215	330	-
18	Phillip Custis Eastville	11/1/74	300	93-98 152-157 265-270	72	-	150	-	-
18		2/18/75			78	63	284	500	-
18		4/7/75			78	12	134	-	-
21	Webster Canning Cheriton	11/1/74	265		112	30	-	-	-
22		11/1/74	280		See #21	COMPOSITE SAMPLE			
23		11/1/74	295		See #21	COMPOSITE SAMPLE			

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	NORTHAMPTON COUNTY -								
165-		Continued							
23		4/17/75			84	14	218	-	-
24		11/1/74	370		See #21	COMPOSITE	SAMPLE		
25	Northampton-Accomack Hospital	4/12/74	321		122	16	200	-	-
27	Cherrystone Campground	11/1/74	310	200-205 240-255	166	205	648	-	-
28	Town of Cape Charles	9/69	80		124	18	204	328	.0
28		10/72			167	23	226	370	.0
33	Exmore Foods #1	3/67	229	no record	144	208	546	-	.2
34	Exmore Foods #4	3/67			121	24	264	-	.1
35	Exmore Foods #5	3/67	58	-	83	41	268	-	.2
35		4/75			100	105	342	-	-

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NORTHAMPTON COUNTY - 165-		Continued							
36	Town of Eastville	7/48	146	-	-	17	145	-	.2
36		2/75		-	78	19	173	200	-
38	Town of Eastville	11/74	165	145-165	82	17	-	-	-
42	America House Kiptopeake	2/75	70	-	146	36	270	390	-
43	Holiday Inn Kiptopeake	2/75	220	200-220	94	15	178	230	-
45	C & D Seafood (Composite Sample)	2/75	185	165-185	114	19	199	280	-
45	Oyster	4/75		-	112	16	178	-	-
47	Webster Canning Cheriton	2/75	330	100-110 200-220 260-280	104	19	203	270	-
48	Town of Cape Charles	2/75	210	80-100 190-210	117	35	318	480	-
49	Nelson Daughty Willis Wharf	2/75	132	-	180	22	265	430	-

WELL NO.	NAME AND OR LOCATION	DATE SAMPLED	TOTAL DEPTH	SCREEN DEPTH	HARDNESS	CHLORIDE	TOTAL SOLIDS	SPECIFIC CONDUCTIVITY	NITRATES
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY	-	Continued							
165-									
64	C & D Seafood Oyster	2/75	185	165-185	See #45	COMPOSITE	SAMPLE		
64		4/75	-		See #45	COMPOSITE	SAMPLE		
66	P. C. Kellam Silver Beach	2/75	77	-	144	20	253	360	-
67	W. L. Chandler Jamesville	2/75	82	-	106	15	185	260	-
69	James Bradshaw Smith Beach	2/75	174	164-174	80	15	175	230	-
71	Harry Taylor Birdnest	2/75	160	-	100	20	188	260	-
	H. Allen Smith Seafood, Oyster 2 wells	4/75	186	158-186	122	25	186	-	-
	Gardise Meadows Eastville	12/74	310	-	111	168	450	-	0.0

APPENDIX E

Wells Affected by the Cone of Depression at Accomac, and Costs Incurred

The data includes well numbers and the costs incurred based on the owner's receipts unless an asterisk appears after the cost. An asterisk indicates that the cost represents a cost estimate made by a water well contractor but not necessarily the final cost. A low cost indicates that only a lowering of the jet setting in the well was required. Higher costs mean that in addition to a change in jet setting, jet pump had to be replaced and in some cases, a new well had to be drilled into the water table aquifer which required a water softener to remove hardness and iron. It is emphasized that this is only a partial list of affected wells, which was compiled by local residents, on August 13, 1971, to illustrate the problems occurring in the area.

WELLS AFFECTED BY THE CONE OF DEPRESSION
AT ACCOMAC, AND COSTS INCURRED

<u>Affected Well</u>	<u>Cost Incurred</u>	<u>Type of Work Required</u>
1	\$342	?
2	\$350	?
3	\$565	?
4	\$160	?
5	\$827	Jet Setting New Jet Pump Shallow Well
6	\$396	?
7	\$500	?
8	\$150*	?
9	\$250*	?
10	\$450*	?
11	\$ 80	Jet Setting
12	\$260	?
13	\$472	?
14	\$380 \$317*	Jet Setting Shallow Well
15	\$450*	?
16	\$360	?

* This cost represents a cost estimate made by a water well contractor but not necessarily the final cost.

APPENDIX F

Groundwater Use

The following table is a listing of withdrawals by the larger groundwater users in the Eastern Shore Peninsula. The data includes the name and location of the system, which can be cross-referenced to Appendix A and B in order to determine well locations, the number of wells in service (x denotes an unknown number), and the groundwater withdrawals in million of gallons per day. Data was obtained from the State Water Control Board and the State Health Department.

